

Disagreement Called National Calamity

Aurora—"Surely we can find the charity and the will and the vision which will make possible a just and generous settlement of our differences. There is still hope. Canada is now a nation. We alone are masters of our fate," declared Wilfred Adams, history master of Aurora high school to the Aurora Lions club at their annual Education Night dinner. Mr. Adams spoke on Dominion-Provincial Relations. The male members of the Aurora high school and public schools were guests of the club.

Tracing the story of dominion-provincial relations back to the time of confederation, Mr. Adams pointed out that legislative union was rejected in favor of a federal union, largely because Quebec insisted on provincial governments to guard and protect provincial interests.

"The key to the understanding of the attitude of Quebec on national and political issues is that she stands immovable on the bedrock of provincial rights, the right to control exclusively religion, language, education and civil and property rights," he said. "Did the fathers of confederation make and intend a loose or strong federation? The conclusion must be that they planned a strong confederation. The B.N. Act gave the provinces control over 18 specific matters only, with all the residue and the overriding authority 'to legislate for peace, order and good government of the country.'"

"In allocating taxing powers, the fathers of confederation seemed to give the federal government unquestioned authority to deal with all national problems. The provinces seemed limited to direct taxation only," Mr. Adams said.

"A decision of the privy council in recent years has greatly extended the powers of the provinces under the matter of civil and property rights with no corresponding powers of taxation to take care of added duties. The great economic and social changes of the 20th century have meant increased population, expanded roads and highways and a widening education problem, along with municipal problems to the provinces. Government expenditures have been increased greatly year by year with the burden largely on the provinces and in bad times the load was almost unbearable for some, resulting in the practical bankruptcy of some provinces and municipalities in the 30's."

"In 1937," he said, "the Rowell-Sirois commission was appointed with a wide scope for its investigations. The first provincial conference was held in 1941 but the war was at its worst and it was charged that the conference was impairing the war effort. Mitchell Hepburn, then premier of Ontario, said that 'it is unthinkable to me that we should be fiddling while London burns'. The conference broke up but the provinces made temporary financial agreements with the dominion in line with some of the commission's recommendations," Mr. Adams continued.

"When the second dominion-provincial conference was held, the conditions had greatly changed and required a fresh approach. Mr. King said, 'The federal government is not seeking to weaken the provinces. We are asking them to go into partnership with us in a broad program for the development of our national heritage and the promotion of the welfare of the Canadian people. Some provinces were eager for a settlement, others objected to detail, but Ontario and Quebec seemed to object to the fundamental principles of the dominion government's offer. We do not claim that the provinces have not good cases. There are two sides to every question but having in mind the whole national interest, we think some of the provinces might have taken a larger view,' Mr. King said.

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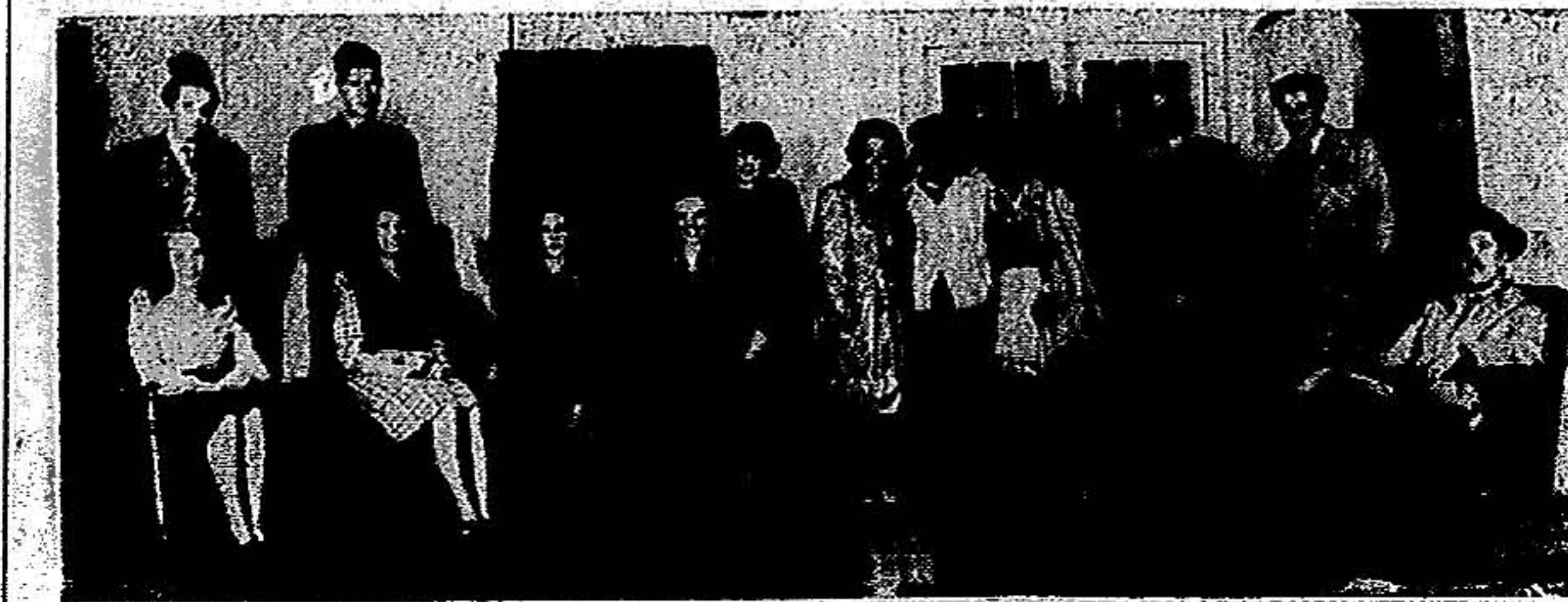
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HOBGOBLINS ON DISPLAY



Pictured above is the cast of the Newmarket Dramatic club production, Hobgoblin House. From left to right: Bob Henderson, Agnes Graham, Bill Dobson, Jesse Campbell, Mrs. Dorothy Bowman, Esther McGee, Mrs. Grace Smith, Evelyn Dume, Delbert Gibney, Velma Thompson, Alex Eves, Roy Penrose, Jim Findlay, Marilyn Widdifield and Clark Hill. Photo by Budd's Studio.

Anticipate Early Start On Hart Company Site

Aurora—George Hart, Hartford, Conn., president of the Hart Manufacturing Company, has been in Aurora this week completing the arrangements for an early start on the firm's new plant on Edward St.

The Aurora Building Company, which has the contract, is expected to commence building operations in a few weeks, and the plant should be completed and ready to start manufacturing by mid-summer. A new roof is being put on and a new floor installed at the Inner Spring Mattress plant on Wellington St., formerly occupied by the R.C.O.C. Depot. Officials of the firm expect to be ready to begin operations around May 1. A resident has been engaged as caretaker of the building, and one or two local citizens have already been promised employment at the plant. Local labor will be used as much as possible, it is understood.

The balance of the R.C.O.C. Depot, owned by Leonard Grove of Toronto, is reported as sold at \$45,000 to the Queen City Storage Company of Toronto. The firm at present operates at 138 Pears St., Toronto, with W. Ayres as general manager. The Aurora branch will be used in conjunction with the Toronto plant, and around 10 or 15 persons may be employed at Aurora. Operations will not start until May.

Aurora is also to have a new south-end motor show-room and service station. Walter Milgate, local general motors dealer, has purchased property immediately north of Walter Dunning on the east side and will commence building soon. A Sudbury resident, who will move here in May, is reported as having purchased the present residence and show-room.

Transportation Problem As Purchases Pooled

A transportation problem was solved at the Kennedy Brothers' auction sale held recently. Albert Howlett bought a horse, Berney Kays a horse, Douglas McClure a set of harness, Elmer Starr a set of doubletires, Earl Toole a rubber tired wagon, and Leslie Harper some horse collars. All to come to Pleasantville.

Newmarket—Stainer's Crucifixion will be presented by the Newmarket Music Society in Trinity United Church, Good Friday evening, 8:15. Good Friday concert, Herman D. Fowler, Mus. Bac., Organist.

Coming Events

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Thursday, April 3—Dancing to Norm Burling and his King's Men in Belhaven Community hall from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Cafeteria lunch. Admission 50c per person. c2w9

Saturday, April 5—Special Easter dance at Schomberg. Music by Art West's orchestra. Dancing every Saturday night during April. *1w10

Tuesday, April 8—Bingo sponsored by Newmarket Veterans' Association in Newmarket town hall, 8 p.m. Jack pot \$28. Attendance prize \$5. 3 special games. Admission 35c for 2 cards. c1w10

Tuesday, April 10—Easter supper to be held at the town hall, Sharon, from 5:30 p.m. sponsored by the W.A. of Sharon United church. Adults 50c. *1w10

POLICE STILL SEEK COUPON SALESMAN

Newmarket—Detective Allen Wallace, Toronto, said this morning that there had been no further developments in the investigation of the man who, early in March, sold bogus photograph coupons to scores of people in Newmarket, Sutton, Aurora and Oakville. An independent investigation by The Era and Express last week helped identify the man, and a general warrant is now out for the arrest of "Allen Carr, alias Ali Sullivan."

Debaters Favor Unity Of Canada With U.S.

Aurora—Betty Jennings and Mary Ussher captured the debating championship of Aurora high school as they represented the affirmative side on the subject: "Resolved that it would be in the best interests of Canada and the United States to unite." The Grade 11 girls argued that economic and defence interests made it imperative to make the North American continent a solid front against any or all aggressors. The two nations were closer together in customs, and individual tastes than any other two nations, and such a move would do more than anything else to improve the possibility of practical English-speaking union, they said. Willson Critchton and James Willis, the Grade 13 representatives, made the contest close. The judges were Mrs. G. W. Williams, Mrs. L. C. Lee, and Miss Genevieve Robinson.

Post's Rules To Prevail To Test Chivalry of Male

Aurora—The book of etiquette and Miss Emily Post's volumes will be in great demand the week of April 10 around Aurora high school, as the lads and lassies swing into Courtesy Week, sponsored by the Grade 12 home economics group. No more will the fair sex be left behind in the mad scramble to enter and leave classrooms. No more will the boys leave the blackboard covered with figures and the weaker sex to use the eraser. Hats will be raised (when worn), doors will be opened for the girls and closed gently. Sir Walter Raleigh may well have to take a back seat as the boys try out their best party and parlor manners.

"Don't think the girls can't stand improvement too," said one of the school's young Loch-invars. "Perhaps we'll get some acknowledgment now for the courtesies we do extend, in place of having it taken for granted as something due her 'majesty'. Maybe we'll hear our right names for the first time in place of 'Stinky' and 'Joe'.

The matter is being left entirely in the hands of the pupils, with Principal J. H. Knowles and his staff keeping a friendly, watchful eye on the proceedings. Schools where the idea has been tried out, report considerable success. The week's effect of the efforts last throughout the school term generally, even if not in high gear all the time.

Just in case some of our readers are wondering what the word "courtesy" means, here's how Webster's dictionary defines it: "politeness combined with kindness; civility."

It looks like a splendid opportunity for parents to try out some homework on the subject at the same time. Certainly it'll be easier to carry it out in the class room if manners rank A plus on the home front.

KING RATE SHOWS NEAR 2-MILL JUMP

King—Tax bills are now being distributed in King township. The 1947 levy for county and township purposes is 6.7 mills, representing an increase of almost two mills in the township rate over 1946.

The increased levy is explained by township officials as being due to the unexpectedly heavy snow removal charges, increased road expenditures, and the fact that surplus, now used up, kept down the general rate. The 1947 budget has taken into consideration the fact that in addition to the customary one-mill municipal subsidy, a substantial amount is to be rebated by the DREW government for road construction.

In most school sections, too, there is shown an increase in the school levy due to increased salaries, building programs and general improvement.

LAW OFFICE OPENED BY CHARLES H. KERR

Newmarket—Charles H. Kerr, formerly of Timmins where he had been practicing law since 1935, has opened a law office at the corner of Main and Water Sts. in the Robertson Block in Newmarket. Five years of his Timmins practice was spent with Dean Kester, former Stouffville man.

Experienced in court and office work, Mr. Kerr is a graduate of Osgoode Hall, born in Belleville, he married the former Muriel Murray, Newmarket, and is familiar with Newmarket from frequent visits to his wife's home here. Mr. and Mrs. Kerr are members of the Anglican church.

MARKET IS SATURDAY

The market will be held this week on Saturday, April 5, and every Saturday thereafter until further notice.

JOHNSTON SHEARD HAS HAND INJURED AT WORK

Johnston W. Sheard, who received hospital treatment a few months ago after a mysterious explosion had occurred just outside the window of his Prospect St. home, was the victim of misfortune again on Tuesday when he injured his hand in the cleaning room of Capital Cleaners where he is employed.

According to Albert Lindenbaum, manager of the plant, Sheard caught his hand in an extractor shortly before noon and received a couple of broken bones. "His hand is badly swollen and he is back on the job today," Mr. Lindenbaum said. "The hand will be put in a cast as soon as the swelling goes down a little."

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MISS OBJECTIVE
Newmarket—The result of the Red Cross canvass in Newmarket was \$3,670.69, H. E. Lambert, chairman of the campaign, reported this week. The objective for Newmarket was \$5,000.

PICTURE HALL AS SEEN ON COUNCIL PLAN

Newmarket—The ratepayers of Newmarket vote on April 7 on the question: Are you in favor of the acquisition of property and the construction thereon of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial and for the issue of debentures for the payment of the costs to the town thereof?

Plans of the proposed auditorium are on view in the municipal office at the corner of Main and Botsford Sts. The estimated cost of the auditorium is \$115,000, of which \$57,500 has been guaranteed by the industries of Newmarket.

The proposed site for the building is between Botsford and Park Sts. west of the post office. Entrance to the building will be made from Park Ave. Land has been expropriated in this area for the erection of the building.

Over-all outside dimensions of the proposed building are 109 ft. by 122 ft. It is a two-story building with a gallery at the south end over-looking the auditorium, and two dressing rooms, one on either side of the stage, at the north end, on the second floor.

The inside dimensions of the auditorium proper are 55 ft. by 104 ft. (approx.). The stage at the north end is the full width of the auditorium and is 18 ft. 6 in. at its greatest depth. The body of the auditorium will seat an estimated 700 people. The floor area is sufficient for two badminton courts.

On the east side of the building, there is a wing which begins 53 ft. from the north end of the building. The north front of this wing contains the main entrance, an office, vestibule, lobby, and check room. Extending along the rear of the building are east to west, a men's washroom, and lounge, a stairway to the auditorium gallery, storage space, a second stairway to the gallery, and in the south-west corner, the boiler room. There is a lobby extending across the south end of the auditorium.

The west side of the building has a wing which extends the length of the building to within 23 ft. of the north front. This wing houses the ladies' lounge and washroom, a dining-room, and a kitchen 31 ft. by 38 ft.

There are two entrances from the kitchen to the auditorium proper, and from the kitchen to the dining-room. It is estimated that the auditorium will seat 400 for dining purposes. The second storey extends only over the auditorium proper, and the wings are one storey.

The plans were drawn up by Margisson and Babcock, Toronto, and can be seen at the town clerk's office.

ACCEPTS NORTH POST

Aurora—Rev. Roland Hill, B.A., L.T.H., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hill, Wellington St., has accepted the appointment of rector of St. James Cathedral, Peace River, Alta., and secretary-treasurer of the diocese of Athabasca, effective May 1. Prior to this appointment, Mr. Hill was assistant to the rector at St. Paul's church, Bloor St. E., Toronto. In going to the diocese of Athabasca, Mr. Hill is returning to the diocese which he spent the summer while a student at university.

He Saw Classifieds Get Quick Results

Mr. R. had a saw for sale and when he saw the results that The Era and Express classifieds were getting for others, he decided to see for himself if he could sell his saw through the classifieds.

So Mr. R. inserted a classified ad in The Era and Express for 25 cents which read: "For sale—Power saw with ball bearing mandrel . . .". The paper appeared Thursday afternoon and when Mr. R. came home from work, he found a buyer waiting for him on his doorstep. Era and Express classifieds get results.

IS PROGRESSING

Newmarket—Mrs. R. L. Chadwick has returned home from the hospital after undergoing a minor operation and is progressing satisfactorily.

Vote Final Word From Electors, Vale Says

Newmarket—In an interview with The Era and Express on Monday morning, Mayor Joseph Vale said that vote of April 7 on the question of whether or not the ratepayers were in favor of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial and the payment of its costs by debentures, constituted in his mind the final word from the citizens as to whether or not they want the town council to proceed with the proposal.

"I see no reason for the need of a second vote if this one is favorable," he said. "I understand the vote to mean the taxpayers wish the council to go ahead with this project in accordance with the best interests of the town."

A plan of the proposed auditorium should the vote be favorable, is on view at the town clerk's office at the corner of Main and Botsford Sts. The plan is described elsewhere on this page. "The plan is tentative only insofar as any changes in details," Mayor Vale said. "The general outline will remain the same."

"After it is decided by the vote whether or not to continue this project, council will listen to any representations brought before it regarding the plans of the building by those who would be using it," he added.

Asked if the construction of the auditorium would be administered by a special committee, Mayor Vale said it would be done through regular council procedure. "Work will begin on it as soon as possession is had of the proposed site," he said.

"It will depend upon when work can begin whether or not the tax levy of this year will include the cost of the building," he said.

"One thing that I would like to stress is that the building would be a war memorial and as such, veterans' organizations in Newmarket would have the full preference in its use," Mayor Vale declared.

Era-Express Poll Samples Town Opinions on Memorial

Newmarket—In a poll of the heads of the various organizations, members of the town council, and others, the following questions were asked by The Era and Express on Monday: 1. Are you in favor of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial? 2. If so, are you in favor of the proposed site of the building? Do you approve of the present tentative plans for the building?

Dr. L. W. Dales: "Certainly I am in favor of a municipal auditorium and a useful one at that, rendering service to future generations completely and fully, but it must be paid for by all of the people of Newmarket in proportion to their means with careful consideration for the many demands which a growing municipality is going to have forced on it in the near future."

"The desire is general in our town for a permanent recognition of the sacrifice and service of the veterans of two wars, but to impose a heavy debenture upon the property owner is a serious matter and when it will be a blank cheque, as the council confesses it to be, it is time to express an opinion on this procedure. Certainly the property owner wishes to do his part. Then, I say to the council, make a grant for a definite amount, accept the contribution of industry and open a general subscription list and let the total amount be the measure of our feeling in this matter."

"We have a memorial rink. Has any effort been made to increase its services, size and efficiency? An artificial ice plant is a first necessity and council will be forced in another year to finance this because of outside competition. Is not skating and hockey a service to future generations as well as drama and art? Also I have long hoped to see a swimming pool here like in other towns but \$15,000-\$20,000 was beyond our means, we were told.

"Sewage disposal, better water supply, incinerator, a decent road paralleling our Main St., a municipal building with town offices, magistrate's court, firehall, etc., must all be considered by the council sooner or later. What is the objection to combining some of these facilities under the one roof if the taxpayer is to carry 75 percent of the cost and maintenance of this building for all time?

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APRIL 7 VOTE SHOULD FAVOR HALL

There is little choice in the ballot that Newmarket ratepayers must mark on April 7. To vote against a municipal auditorium as a war memorial is to vote against any possibility of having it for the next 20 years. No matter how distasteful the manner in which the vote has been brought to the public, a vote favoring a municipal auditorium as a war memorial and the payment of it from debentures remains the only way in which the rate-payers may express their insistence for a war memorial and an end to the firetrap on Market Square which doubles as our present municipal hall.

The manner in which this project has been brought before the people has indeed been distasteful in that it was sprung upon the public in a manner which has aroused not enthusiasm but indignation. Yet that, too, could have been overcome by a willingness of the council to open the issue to more public scrutiny.

Consider the reticence that has surrounded the actual form of the auditorium building, its probable cost, the arbitrary insistence that while details may be changed, the form of the building will remain as visualized by the council. Consider the manner in which the site was chosen. Expropriation by-laws were passed without any council discussion beyond the statement by the mayor that the site would probably be used for a "memorial" in the near future. The pre-briefing of the council members before the by-laws were presented, the by-passing of regular council procedure by which the matter would be assured open discussion has all been distasteful.

Yet we repeat that only a favorable vote on April 7 will enable Newmarket to take the preliminary step towards the long-needed memorial. Let there be no confusion between the manner in which the memorial hall was brought before the public, and the need for a memorial hall. The time to express disapproval of the former is on election day, not April 7.

Once the Newmarket council has been assured of the direction it seeks, that the town must definitely want a war memorial in the form of a municipal auditorium, there will be time enough for those who claim errors in the form of the building to make their wants known. But before that is done, a vote favoring the project must be registered, and registered in such an overwhelming majority that there can be no doubt that the citizens of Newmarket want a municipal hall as a war memorial, and are willing to pay for it through their taxes.

IRISH SWEEPS FOR CANADA?

A truck driver in Toronto has won a \$100,000 prize in the Irish sweepstakes; 40 Canadians have won a total of \$195,112. Thousands upon thousands of dollars were spent by Canadians on sweepstake tickets. The "take" for Irish hospitals was \$1½ millions, and the government got \$520,000. The rest of the \$8½ millions was used for prizes, etc.

All this considered, the question of why not a Canadian sweeps naturally comes to mind. It should be favorably received in a province which countenances "occasional" gambling if the proceeds are for a worthy cause, and which collects regularly from the operations of the large racing tracks within its limits.

It should be favorably received, but we doubt if it ever will. From the way our laws are made, it appears Ontarians at least have a tolerance of minor illegalities but a horror of anything as large as an imitation of the Irish sweeps, no matter how the worthy cause would benefit.

We listened to an argument in favor of the gambling, which is organized and operated with such efficiency at service club carnivals, to the effect that the losers were contributing to worthy causes, and the gambling merely added to a bit of pleasure in return. What is sauce for the goose and so on. The same argument might well apply to the sweepstakes.

And if this is not acceptable, argument No. 2 in favor of the service club carnival, and equally in favor of a Canadian sweeps, is that those who are going to gamble, will do it anyway so why not take advantage of the practice and turn the profits towards hospitals and similar causes. It would also help to keep the money in the country.

In the ideal society, such inducements as the thrill of gambling would not be necessary to encourage contributions for worthy causes. The donor would recognize the need and as quickly recognize his responsibility and reach for his check book. But inasmuch as the ideal society is still far away, and there is no abatement of gambling, we might as well enjoy the profits of organized gambling instead of letting it go somewhere else.

"FORGET THE BRITISH"

It has become the practice to loudly reject any suggestions that Great Britain is on the wane. Although inspired by a loyalty and sentiment of a truly welcome quality, such defenses are misleading. The plain fact is that Britain as a power is declining even if her influence on world affairs is far from weak.

Some very good advice was recently handed out by an unidentified Britisher in his country's diplomatic service to the Americans who must, of necessity, assume Britain's role as world leaders. "Forget the British," he said. "Forget they even exist. When will you at last abandon your glibble about pulling British chesnuts out of the

fire. Can't you finally understand that (Greece, Turkey, halting the Russian expansion) is your problem."

At one time, it was fashionable to sit back and criticize all that Britain did, a habit not unknown even in Canada. What made it so fashionable was that the critics were never called upon to assume the responsibilities Britain was carrying. But Britain can no longer continue those burdens. Her position was summed up by Lord Halifax in these words: "The British Government... is in the most distasteful position... in which its responsibility is greater than its power."

Now the mantle has been passed to other shoulders. Will they be wide enough to assume them? Canadians have a big stake in the answer. Canadian export trade, so important to the well-being of this country's economy, will depend on how well it is answered. Canada, because of its position between the United States and its nearest rival, Russia, in a line across the north pole, will enjoy peace in the measure by which it is answered.

Canadians must learn to re-assess their position in world affairs in the light of this new adjustment. Our role in the past has been that of the willing and unquestioning supporter of Great Britain in two major wars and countless peace-time crises. In turn, we have been sheltered by the British fleet and British arms. Now we are without that shelter, and although Canada will never forget its traditional loyalty to the Mother Country, it must revise its political position in the light of the United States' new role. Indications of how this is being effected is evident in the close co-operation between the United States and Canadian armed forces.

We hear that Canadian sovereignty is being violated by a less friendly nation. Canadians must assess the facts and accept the choice that their geographical and economical position places before them. They must learn to assume with their new stature of full nationhood, the responsibilities and problems that comes with it.

FALLACY OF ORGANIZATION

This is the third and final editorial of a series on the address of Mr. Charles H. Millard, national director of the United Steelworkers of America, given in Newmarket March 10. Mr. Millard spoke on "Democracy Needs Organization."

In his insistence that "democracy needs organization," Mr. Millard is identifying himself with the growing body of public opinion which confuses democracy with the means by which it can be achieved. Mr. Millard evidently believes that democracy can be achieved through undemocratic methods, for that is what his touchstone of "organization" means.

Consider how "organization" has been employed already. Mr. Millard's United Steelworkers of America fought a bitter strike against the Steel Co. of Canada in Hamilton using methods beyond the law. Nothing was done because of the large number of men and women involved. In a democracy, the first requisite of a citizen is to respect the laws his representatives have made no matter how distasteful they may be.

Again, Mr. Millard encourages political action by farmers' organizations and unions. These groups can become a potent political force but only through the sacrifice of their rights by individual members of these groups. When votes are bargained for favors, the membership must vote as one without freedom of choice at the polls. Yet the democratic form of government is founded on the free choice of each citizen of those who will represent him in the government.

The democratic form of government—government of all the people, by the people—is still the best form of government man has yet evolved. No one will claim that it has been perfectly observed in Canada but that is not the fault of the form of government, it is the fault of those who administered it.

The organization Mr. Millard seeks, the association for political action of special interests, would supplant government of the people, by government of special interests. That is not democracy, that is dictatorship.

This emphasis on organization, this urge for collective action is but an echo of the thinking which inspired the Russian Revolution. There was an instance in which one class supplanted another as rulers of a nation. It was thought that because it was the working man who supplanted the czar that Russia would be a better place in which to live, a true Kingdom on Earth. History has proved the fallacy of such thinking, but yet it persists in men like Mr. Millard.

Canada has seen the influence of "big business" upon the legislators, as Mr. Millard charges. That influence can be dispelled only by the action of all the people, not by that of special interests. The only way to achieve complete democracy is through an enlightened population.

WHAT OTHERS THINK A WISE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

(From Richmond Hill Liberal)

Richmond Hill's tax rate will remain at 30 mills. The fact that council has been able to maintain the previous rate at a time of rising prices for materials of all varieties is cheering news. It is a recognition by reeve and council of the necessity of tightening, or, at least of not loosening, the municipal purse strings in the interests of all the residents of the village.

Meat and other foods and wearing apparel are increasing in price, but for many there is no appreciable increase in personal income in sight, and any little burden added to those that these folks cannot escape in the economic upheaval represents just so much more hardship for them.

The village, as The Liberal pointed out some weeks ago, is in a thoroughly sound financial position, and residents want for little or nothing that could be reasonably paid for from the municipal purse. Yet, it would be possible to lay out money on many things and justify the expenditures one way or another. Other communities have done so and are doing so. In that way, we could, without so much as batting an eye, boost the tax rate to 40 or 50 mills.

Great credit is due Reeve Neal and his councillors for their level headed consideration of a situation that is difficult and trying. It could probably be that overnight the economic clouds would lift and labor and living cost problems be settled. But it is just as well to wait until they do lift before adding to the cost of community administration any more than may be absolutely necessary.

TO THE EDITOR

The editor: At the annual meeting of the York County Federation of Agriculture last week, the editorial of the March 13 issue of The Newmarket Era and Express re lifting the oleomargarine embargo was brought to the attention of the members by a whole milk shipper and on unanimous motion we are asked to call your attention to a few facts.

In the first place your kind reference in the editorial to the work of the Federation of Agriculture was appreciated but it should be pointed out that the present steps being taken by the cream producers of Ontario to organize under the Farm Products Control Board in the next few weeks will be given impetus by the current pressure to strangle the butter industry by introducing oleomargarine into Canada.

As pointed out by Mr. Ghent in his letter of March 20, 40,000 farmers cannot constitute a monopoly. In fact any farmer with one or more cows is a potential cream producer. With oleomargarine (a synthetic butter) produced at the same price winter and summer it will make a most unfair competition for butter which has been held by price controls to a level where farmers cannot produce cream profitably. Without adequate returns the cream shipper cannot employ help. Here is an illustration in the Newmarket district.

In a block of over five square miles comprising 4,000 acres of average farm land around Pine Orchard, there is today only one hired farm employee and within the past year or so five former cream shippers are now vealing calves.

Big Interests Let it not be forgotten that when oleomargarine is licensed for manufacture and sale in Canada it will be the "Big Interests" you referred to that will make it and at a substantial profit. In fact there is more than suspicion that the pressure is coming from these sources right now. Are these false benefactors interested in making the farmers around Newmarket or any other country town profitable? Apart from the well-being of the rural community, have you overlooked the fact that most prosperous urban communities owe that desirable economic status to a prosperous farming community surrounding it?

It is the opinion of our Federation of Agriculture that only when farm prices provide some assurance of cost of production plus a modest profit, to which any legitimate business is entitled, will the cream producer be able to attract the badly needed labor to step up butter production. Legalize cheap butter substitutes and you will have even less butter for which the returns will be even lower. Bankrupted agriculture will reduce the purchase of all kinds of commodities made or sold by those anxious for oleomargarine.

Mr. Editor, we thank you for your interest in agricultural affairs but we feel you have not taken a broad enough view of this perplexing problem that is at present haunting the cream producer.

W. J. Buchanan, Secretary, York County Federation of Agriculture, Downsview, March 26.

Editors note: On March 27, the senate defeated a bill which would have ended the ban on the production, sale and importation of oleomargarine in Canada by a vote of 38-22.

25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, April 7, 1922

The town of Newmarket at last is having a hockey and skating rink. A charter for Newmarket arena has been applied for.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Richardson entertained friends at their home on Main St. last Thursday evening.

Mount Albert W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Russell. A paper was given by Mrs. W. R. Steeper, History of Mount Albert Institute, followed by a story from Mrs. Lawson.

Dr. Walker has bought from Mr. Thos. Summerville the residence on Main St. now occupied by Mr. Burnett.

There is an epidemic of colic. Dr. Wesley has been bed-fast for some days and Mr. N. A. Cornell, principal of the public school, and half of the staff are off duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Willis spent Sunday in Aurora.

Mr. Selby Sedore, Mount Pleasant, sold his farm to Mr. Wm. Robinson, Newmarket.

Mrs. Sandy Milne, Queensville, and her daughter are visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Albert Milne.

Keswick is certainly growing rapidly. Mr. Alvin Rye has purchased lumber and intends to build this summer.

Last Friday, Mr. Kiteley, Sharon, broke his jaw while working on the Metropolitan Railway.

Mrs. Harry Sayers, Toronto, visited her aunt, Mrs. C. Kirby, for a few days last week.

A by-law appointing Dr. J. H. Wesley as town physician for the remainder of 1922, passed its three readings.

Around Town

About the men and women you meet around town almost every day.

Henry Walter "Harry" Tomes, 72, came to the village of Holland Landing 25 years ago, and he has spent most of his time since then doing his utmost in the service of the community as school trustee (five years), councillor (five years, the last year as the last reeve of the village before it became a police village), and police trustee (for five years a police village). He is president of the extremely active Community Association, of which he was secretary when it was formed three years ago. The villagers recognized his efforts in their behalf, and in turn are doing their utmost to complete their new Community Hall in time for a celebration there on Dec. 26 of Harry's Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Harry was born in Rochdale, Lancashire—"where Gracie Fields was born." "The great cotton mills are there, and all the girls wear clogs," he says. When he was two years old his mother died and he went to live with his grandmother. He was a cripple for the first five years of his life, and he gives his grandmother all the credit for eventually curing him.

His formal education ended at the age of 11, when he went to work as an apprentice bricklayer. "Apprentices then led a hard life," he says, "but when I was 15 the Apprentice Act was passed and conditions were better. Before that apprentices were bound to their employers for the terms of their apprenticeships. They were very badly treated and miserably paid as a rule, but if an apprentice violated his contract he could be sent to prison."

Harry became an ardent trade unionist and socialist while still a youth and says that he would support a labor government in Canada. "Socialism came into existence when I was about 20 and a member of a Mutual Improvement class at the church. We used to debate on many topics and then ask someone who was an expert on the topic to come and speak to us on the subject. Snowden and MacDonald were among those who spoke to us."

Harry began the Boys' Life Brigade, a predecessor to the Boy Scout movement. "I was severely criticized for trying to make something of some of the worst boys in town, but I never had any trouble with the boys themselves. Most of them turned out to be fine citizens. There were about 200 of them in Northampton before the Scout movement came along," he says. Harry has been a strong believer in supervised boys' clubs ever since.

"I believe in equal opportunities for all boys regardless of their financial conditions," he says. "I would have liked to have been a doctor if I had the opportunity. I have always been extremely interested in physiology, anatomy, and first aid. I used to teach first aid to the boys in the brigade." He joined the St. John's Ambulance Corps when he was 16, and still holds the bronze medal. He was a stretcher-bearer sergeant and

first aid instructor in the first world war. He had come to this country in 1907 and he returned to Toronto when the war was over, moving to Holland Landing for his health shortly after.

Worker on Buildings Here "I belonged to the Bricklayers' Operative Union in England, and

had joined the International Union No. 2 in Toronto before going overseas. When I came to Holland Landing, I started contracting again (I had done some in England). I worked on Pickering College when the gymnasium and dormitories were built, on the Newmarket high school when it was rebuilt after the fire, on the bank of Montreal when it was built, and on the last addition to the Office Specialty. I supervised the work on the tannery here and will continue to do so. The only contract I ever lost money on in my life was when I lost \$15, but when my son in Hamilton asked me for some advice recently, I told him to keep on building on a cost plus basis. There is no risk involved that way. "Harry has another son and a daughter in Toronto.

Harry was also caretaker on the Newmarket Canal when it was built. "I should have been retired from that job when I was 65, but about that time war came along and I kept at it for another five years. Then when I was 70, they sent a new engineer out and he asked me to stay until he got acquainted with the job and so on. The result was that I retired last October.

"Harry's opinion of the canal project, begun more than 30 years ago, is summed up in the concluding paragraph of an article he wrote recently for The Era and Express.

"So passes into oblivion a project that seems to have served but two purposes; to save the town of Newmarket the cost of a sewage disposal plant by the dumping of its sewage into the canal at the north end of the town, and to provide pasturage for neighboring farmers."

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, April 2, 1897

Mayor and Mrs. Cane were "at home" with a number of friends on Wednesday evening.

Mr. W. F. Pegg, foreman in the Toronto World office, was in town on Wednesday. He spent some time looking at the changes in The Era office where he had put in 15 years.

On Saturday, while Rev. Mr. Thompson was chopping a stick of wood, a piece flew up, cutting a vein in his nose. It was several hours before the bleeding was stopped.

An excursion party on the Ottawa and Parry Sound railway company travelled from Parry Sound to Ottawa, a distance of 520 miles, for \$3.

Stage drivers between Queensville and Keswick had to double the trip on account of bad road conditions. On meeting, they exchanged parcels but forgot the mail bags.

The flood on the Humber this year was the highest for 14 years.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Cooper, Collingwood, were the guests of Mr. I. M. Hoag for a few days last week.

Mrs. Bertha Landy, who for six years was assistant postmistress in Newmarket, left today for Winnipeg. She will stay until the fall of the year.

A number of Udon people attended the wedding of Mr. W. H. Umphrey to Miss Minnie Strachan, Uxbridge, last week.

On Tuesday in Aurora, Mr. Paul Lepper, auctioneer and constable, passed away.

Mrs. Howard Willoughby, Keswick, is visiting here this week. Rev. Dewey, Mount Albert, exchanged services with Rev. Towell, Sutton, on Sunday.

Sup is running this week in earnest. Many are compelled to boil at nights in order that none is wasted.

A man in Collingwood drank a pint of yeast instead of butter-milk. He arose three hours earlier next morning.

THE COMMON ROUND

By ISABEL INGLIS COLVILLE

GOOD FRIDAY

There are days of joy, of thanksgiving, triumph and tragedy, which stand out as landmarks in history. Of these, Good Friday is the supreme example.

The events of that day did not take place in Rome, or Egypt or Athens, or in any of the other great world centres of that time, but in a tiny country which was then, as now, a trouble spot for those who had to deal with its religious and political problems.

Great thinkers and philosophers have often been condemned to death for no other reason than that they were ahead of their times, but until Christ no man had laid down his life for love of his fellowmen.

Great men, like Lincoln who have left us a heritage of ideals of freedom in its most lofty form, have perished by the assassin's hand, and their ideals live on; but these very ideals would never have had their being if Jesus Christ had not perished on Calvary on that Good Friday nearly 2,000 years ago.

If They But Loved Henry Drummond, in our modern days, has said that "Love is the greatest thing in the world," and he is but echoing St. Paul, who said, "without love we are as sounding brass and tinkling cymbals." And those stemmed from Christ's saying that men would become His disciples if they loved one another.

That Friday in Jerusalem, when a great colorful eastern assembly of Jews had gathered to celebrate the Passover, stands out in history and our hearts, not because of the Passover, but because on a hill outside the gates of Jerusalem, a hill dedicated its criminals, the Son of God hung on a cross, sinless, yet bearing our sins, hated by the powerful of his own country; yet, in the midst of His suffering asking forgiveness for them, and thinking of His mother so bereft.

The hot eastern sun poured down on the jeering, easily moved crowd, a crowd which had earlier resisted Pilate's efforts to save Christ by saying, "Crucify Him," and "His blood be on us and on our children!" One can imagine the change

Newton in The Atlantic Monthly wrote: "The best book of verses for children ever written," should be a part of every child's library. It is a book which can be enjoyed not only by wee ones for whom it is read, the young fry who read for themselves, but the parents. The irresistible rhythms, the humor, the understanding of the child's point of view place this book among the front ranks of verses for and about children.

"Puppy and I," "Vespers" and "The King's Breakfast" go straight to the heart.

(The books mentioned above are at Newmarket Public Library.)

ARRIVES ON QUEEN Gormley—Mr. J. T. Gorton arrived from England on the Queen Elizabeth on March 22. Mr. Gorton will make his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones, Gormley. Mrs. Jones has not seen her father for 20 years.

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HOLD RALLY IN AURORA Aurora—Aurora has been selected as the site of the District "E" Canadian Legion Council rally, and over 150 representatives of Legion branches in North York, Simcoe, Grey, Dufferin, and North Peel counties will attend the meeting on June 15.

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1909 Edition Era Still Used As Wall Insulation

Newmarket — During renovations by Russell Curtis on his house on Davis Dr., Newmarket, an old copy of Newmarket Era was unearthed, dated Jan. 1, 1909, from the walls where it had been used as insulation.

A few items of neighborly interest picked out of the issue are:

"In Newmarket the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Saturday, Jan. 2, 1909, at the home of Mrs. Wilmet Lemon, Eagle St., Newmarket."

"The annual home gathering of the family of Elder D. Prosser was held at his residence, Pearson Ave., on Christmas Day."

"The contest of Jar of Beans and Toothpicks, at Mr. Hatch's Green House, closed on Christmas Eve."

"Mr. Henry Lepard, Queensville, sold his house and lot to Mrs. Frank Doan, and has gone to Keswick to reside with his son, Mr. Harry Lepard."

"In absence of the editor, and on behalf of the staff, we extend hearty New Year greetings, hoping to make the Era, on the year we are now entering, the very best of all its history of more than half a century."

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"Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Jackson are still away in Montreal. The readers of the Era will have to excuse errors and omissions that might appear, as his substitutes are doing their best."

"Mr. Livingston, traffic manager of the Toronto and York Railway, announced that the extension from Jackson's Point to Sutton, on the Metropolitan Division, has been officially opened."

"In Mount Albert, Mrs. Theaker gave the annual Christmas dinner on Friday."

"Dr. and Mrs. Forrest spent Christmas holidays at Port Hope."

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Tensen Ann Abbecker, No. 375-462, born Jan. 23, 1938, not bred

Pietertje Rag Apple Mary, No. 676602, born Aug. 7, 1945, bred Feb. 26

Pietertje Rag Apple Meg, No. 676601, born Aug. 17, 1945

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1 M.H. 15-disc seed drill, grass seed attachment

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The North York GARDENER

By **JOHN DALY**
Vice President, Newmarket
Horticultural Society

(This is the first of a series of regular columns on gardening by Mr. Dalby, vice-president of the Newmarket Horticultural Society, and an experienced gardener.)

The growing of flowers and vegetables is not difficult but some knowledge of the requirements of plant life in general and of the various individual types in particular is required.

In undertaking to write this column I do so with the idea of conveying to the flower lovers of the communities served by The Newmarket Era and Express, some practical information that will assist them in their efforts to beautify their home surroundings.

Trying to grow sun-loving flowers in the shade is disastrous and in future columns suggestions regarding plants and proper growing conditions will be given to aid the amateur gardener.

A lover of flowers is always welcome in the gardens of fellow growers. Visit their gardens and learn from experienced people the particulars regarding the flowers you wish to grow.

A second suggestion is that you join your local Horticultural Society. Regular attendance at the meetings brings you in contact with more experienced members and the information received is invaluable.

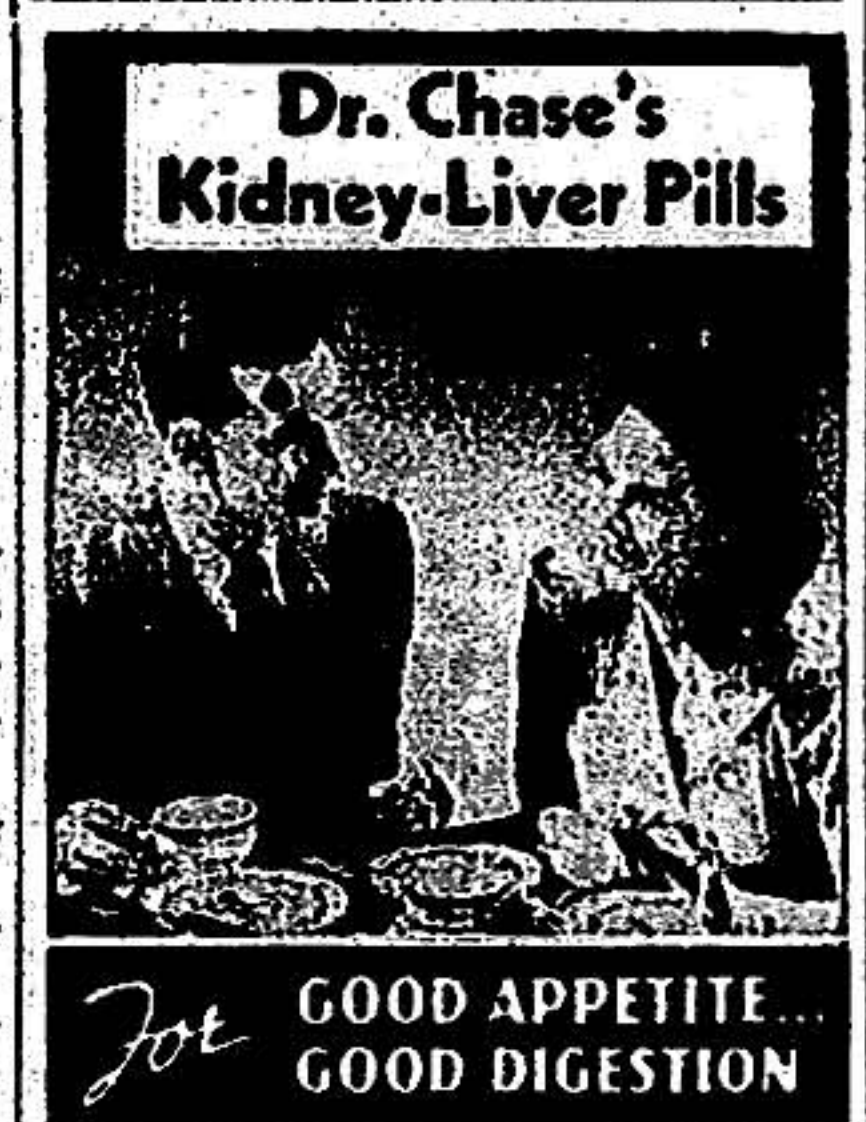
However, don't take all the discards offered you from your neighbor's garden. Usually these plants are very poor specimens.

Recently flowers have been so vastly improved and their disease resistance so increased that they bear no comparison to their old forms.

In future columns we shall omit the generalities dealt with today and discuss such phases of gardening as the preparation of the soil, proper cultivation, control of insects and disease, and many other topics.

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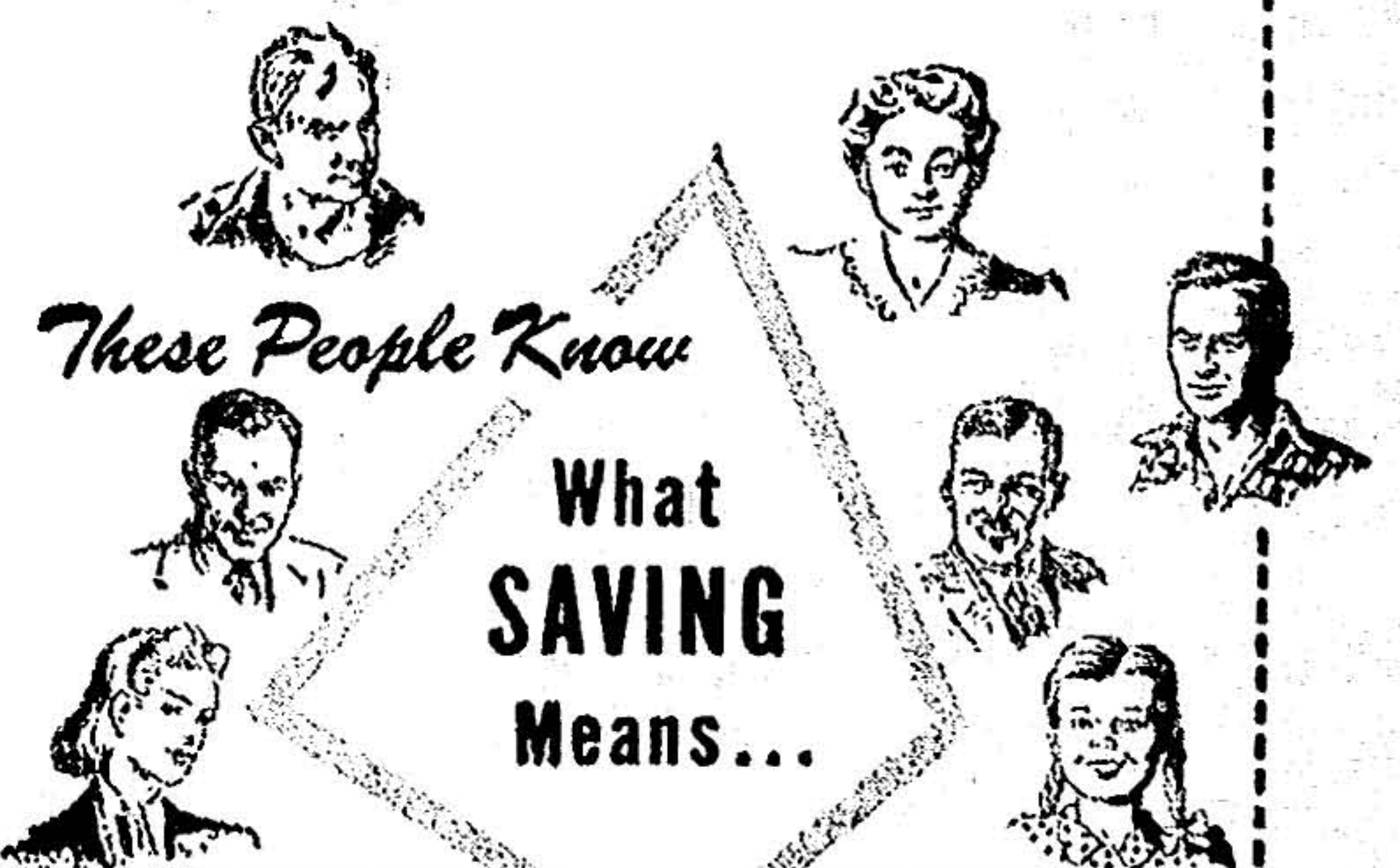
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NOTICE

TO ALL CREAM PRODUCERS IN ONTARIO

A proposed Cream Marketing Scheme for Ontario, under the Farm Products Marketing Act, has been submitted to the Farm Products Marketing Board for consideration, by the Ontario Cream Producers Association.

Before the Board can consider recommending the scheme, it must be satisfied that a fair representation of the Cream Producers is in favour of its adoption. In order to obtain the required views of the Producers, a vote by ballot is being taken on the question:-

"ARE YOU IN FAVOUR OF THE PROPOSED ONTARIO CREAM PRODUCERS' MARKETING SCHEME BEING BROUGHT INTO FORCE IN ONTARIO?"

ALL PRODUCERS MUST REGISTER

All producers must register to vote. Two alternative methods of voting are provided to Cream Producers, as follows:-

- (1) By personal registration and voting in each Agricultural Representative's office between March 31 and April 30, 1947, or
- (2) By personal registration and voting with the Deputy Returning Officer in charge at each local meeting.

A PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE

SCOUT HALL, NEWMARKET

on

TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 8 P.M.

All ballots must be returned to the Agricultural Representative before April 30, 1947. Any ballots received after that date will not be recorded.

ALL CREAM PRODUCERS ARE URGENTLY REQUESTED TO REGISTER, TO ATTEND THE MEETING IN THEIR AREA-AND TO VOTE. HUSBAND, WIFE, SON OR DAUGHTER MAY VOTE, BUT ONLY ONE FROM EACH OPERATING FARM UNIT

ONTARIO FARM PRODUCTS MARKETING BOARD

Ten Years In Uniform, Now Works On Farm Here

Last fall the dominion government brought to Canada over 2,000 veterans of General Anders' Polish army in Italy, men who had no wish to return to their homeland, as farm laborers. How has the experiment worked out? If the experience of one farmer and his Polish helper is any criterion, the experiment has been completely successful.

This week, The Era and Express representative spent the day on a district farm where one of the Polish veterans has been employed since his arrival here. From what he saw and from what the farmer and the Pole told him, in this instance there was complete satisfaction on both sides.

The Pole, whose Christian name is Stanley, and who asked that his surname not be mentioned nor his present address for fear of reprisals on relatives in Poland, is 31 years old. Born in the eastern part of Poland, his home was twice over-run by the Russians, once following the first world war and the second time during the invasion of Poland by the Russians when the Poles were fighting the Nazis.

Of his 31 years, ten have been spent in uniform. Enlisting with the Polish army before the second world war, he was interned by the Russians and spent 20 months in an internment camp, later enlisting in General Anders' army and seeing action in Italy with the Eighth Army.

Slight in appearance, he has a wiry strength that is apparently tireless. He is unmarried and has no near relatives. A relative in Poland to whom he wrote disappeared two weeks before Christmas. He is learning English rapidly and his farmer-employer and himself have worked out a combination Anglo-Polish dialect which is serving adequately until Stanley masters English.

Clean, courteous and a master

of carpentry and painting, he has been quick to adapt himself to Canadian ways. He does as instructed, feeds the cattle, operates the milking machine and all farm machinery. Accustomed to small farms where every inch of soil was utilized, he is still surprised at the largeness of Canada, the evidence of waste such as one sees on the wide road margins. In Poland, he says, that land would be all under cultivation.

He has benefited the farmer for whom he works in a 100 small ways. "The other day, the buzz-saw frame fell apart," says the farmer. "A new one would cost \$50 at least. Stanley built a new one at the cost of a few cents and furthermore, he has made it as good as a new one."

"Stanley broke a fork handle the other day and was pretty upset. He insisted that I take it out of his pay. Shucks, in the repair jobs he has done for me, he has saved me the price of 100 fork handles."

Stanley stays close to the farm but since he has begun to improve his English, he has attended one or two picture shows in Newmarket and goes to Toronto on the odd Sunday.

Stanley is under a year contract with his present employer and is paid the going wage. He must work on a farm for a second year and then he is free to enter some other kind of employment. His employer is sure Stanley can earn himself a good living as a carpenter or painter. As for Stanley, he says that he has no plans. "All I see of Canada so far is Jersey cows and bush. Wait until see more than decide," he says.

As for his employer, he remembers bitterly of offering five and six dollars a day to men, out of work at the time, to help him with his haying and being told to jump in the lake. "Stanley has been the saving of my farm," he says.

PYRAMID FIND RECALLS STORY OF SHANGRI-LA

By GOLDEN GLOW

A few minutes ago, I was listening to a newscast over the radio when I heard one which attracted my attention. A pyramid, higher and larger than the famous Egyptian pyramids (one of the wonders of the world), has been spotted in the heart of China, amid inaccessible mountains, and known only to the immediate inhabitants.

At once my thoughts flew to that delightful book called The Lost Horizon by James Hilton. If I recall, I mentioned it in connection with an article about Shangri-la, when I was reminded of the book by Admiral Byrd sighting an "oasis." Admiral Byrd spotted it from the air, and is likely planning to go and investigate it in a later expedition. Well, here is another mystery which has been seen from the air, and what will this new "Shangri-la" disclose?

The Egyptian pyramids have been a source of speculation through the ages, and a source of religious fervor as well. We are never done wondering especially about the Sphinx near Cairo, the capital of Egypt. Why does a mystery always intrigue us? How we marvel and puzzle our brains about those old Egyptian

pyramids-and finally we "give up", as countless thousands have done before us, and concede it as the "World's Greatest Mystery."

Take the Sphinx, that fabulous stone creature with the head of a woman and the body of a lion. It has been there for centuries, sinking deeper and deeper into the sand of the desert. Then scientists began to speculate. Finally they found, between the paws of the Sphinx, an altar, and behind the altar, an entrance-way into a long subterranean passage leading to the Great Pyramid. Science has gone on and on, excavating, exploring, comparing! Archaeologists have devoted their lives to solving its mystery-but still it remains the world's most perplexing question! Why were the pyramids built? What was the altar before the paws of the Sphinx? And so on and on.

I did not catch all the broadcaster said, but there was something about the "lost continent of Atlantis." Mystery and more mystery! The Lost Continent of Atlantis is supposed to be a continent still to be seen under the waters of the ocean, with cities of buildings far superior to anything of our modern times. These cities are supposed to have vanished in the days of Noah during the flood, and still clearly seen through the blue depths of the sea. Were the pyramids supposed to have been built by a remnant of that vast race who lived before the flood, when civilization was supposed to have been at its peak?

We may still find out some day. For most certainly the builders of the pyramids were a highly advanced race with wonderful scientific knowledge. Again we are also puzzled by the Aztec pyramids of Yucatan in Mexico, supposed to have been built by the ancient Aztec race, but which are similar in construction to the Egyptian.

What will this new find in the heart of China reveal? Will this new pyramid be another "Shangri-la"?

The Handy Jingle

Pat, who had but lately arrived from the old country, was experiencing considerable difficulty mastering correct English. His cousin, who had spent several years in America and had gained a good working knowledge of grammar, attempted to instruct him.

"Now, Pat," he said, "don't say, 'It is me.' Say 'I is,' and remember that by saying to yourself 'It is I' said the spider to the fly."

A few days later Pat came to his instructor and said, "Sure, O'm getting along fine. OI just remember that 'It is me, said the spider to the fly' and OI get it right every time."



Youth For Christ Seek To Meet Modern Needs

Newmarket-The Ministerial Association of Newmarket, feeling that a specific need could be met in providing a suitable entertainment for the Christian young people on Saturday night, arranged the formation of The Youth for Christ Rally on Saturday nights.

Although an intangible bond exists between the Newmarket rallies and others, each Youth for Christ group follows its own routine. The theme, "Gathered to the Times and Anchored to the Rock," explains the aim of the rally which attempts to accent the practicability of Christianity in the present world and through informal gatherings to provide a high standard of entertainment value not only to the youth and young adults, but also to everyone interested in Newmarket and the surrounding districts.

The Youth for Christ in Newmarket is operated by the Young People's Council. Each Young People's Society was invited to send representatives and there is a fairly complete representation. Transportation difficulties have prevented the attendance of many out-of-town groups so that several offices in the

council are being kept in reserve for these future members.

The following officers were appointed for the coming year: director, Albert Baillie; assistant director and song leader, Roy Langford; treasurer, Harry McGhee; sec., Elsie Mathewson; assistant secretary, Violet Curtis; program convenor, Ron. Beckett.

The rally was originally held in the Newmarket town hall, but is now being held in the auditoriums of the participating churches.

The Legal Way

A lawyer thus illustrates the language of the craft: "If a man were to give another an orange, he would simply say: 'Have an orange.' But when the transaction is entrusted to a lawyer to be put in writing he adopts this form: 'I hereby give and convey to you, all and singular, my estate and interests, right, title, claim and advantages of and in said orange, together with all its rind, juice, pulp and pips and all rights and advantages therein with full power to bite, suck, and otherwise to eat the same or give the same away with or without the rind, skin, juice, pulp and pips, anything hereinbefore or hereinafter.'

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Summary of GOODS AND SERVICES REMAINING SUBJECT TO MAXIMUM PRICE REGULATIONS

As set forth in Wartime Prices & Trade Board Order No. 711-effective April 2, 1947

FOODS

- All flours, flour mixes and meals.
- Yeast.
- Bread, bread rolls, and bakery products.
- Biscuits, except those completely covered with chocolate.
- Processed cereals, cooked or uncooked, including breakfast cereals, macaroni, vermicelli, spaghetti, noodles and other alimentary paste products.
- Rice, excepting wild rice.
- Put and pearl barley.
- Shelled corn, but not including popping corn.
- Dried peas, soy beans, dried beans except lima beans and red kidney beans.
- Starch.
- Sugar, sugar cane syrups, corn syrups, grape sugar, glucose.
- Edible molasses.
- Honey.
- Ten, coffee, coffee concentrates.
- Malt, malt extract, malt syrup.
- Black pepper and white pepper, and substitutes containing black or white pepper.
- Butter.
- Choc.
- Cheese, processed cheese and cream cheese.
- Concentrated milk products of all kinds.
- Ice cream.
- Salt and cooking oils.
- Salt.
- Fresh apples - 1946 crop.
- Raisins, currants, prunes, dried dates, dehydrated apples.
- Tomatoes, tomato sauce, tomato paste, tomato pulp, tomato puree, tomato catsup, chili sauce, when in hermetically sealed cans or glass.
- Canned pork and beans, canned spaghetti and canned soups.
- Canned corn, canned peas, canned beans excluding the lima and red kidney varieties.
- Canned apricots, canned peaches, canned pears, canned cherries, canned plums.
- Fruits and vegetables in the two preceding items when frozen and sold in consumer size packages.
- Jams, jellies, marmalades.
- Meat and meat products, not including game, pet foods, and certain varieties of cooked and canned meats.
- Sausage casings, animal and artificial.
- Live, dressed and canned poultry (but not including turkeys, geese or ducks, live, dressed or processed; poultry spreads, poultry stews and poultry in pastry or pie crust).
- Canned salmon, canned sea trout, canned pilchards of the 1946 or earlier packs.
- Edible animal and vegetable fats including lard and shortenings.

breakers made wholly or chiefly of leather.

- Men's, youths' and boys' suits or pants made wholly or chiefly of cotton or rayon.
- Men's, youths' and boys' furnishings as follows: - blouses; collars; pyjamas; nightshirts; underwear, other than that made wholly of wool; dressing gowns, other than those made wholly of all-wool fabric; shirts, including sport shirts other than those made wholly of all-wool or all-rayon fabric.
- Women's, misses', girls', children's and infants' garments of all kinds (but not including - (a) garments made wholly of all-wool fabric; (b) raincoats, or (c) jackets and windbreakers, except when made wholly or chiefly of leather).
- Women's, misses', girls' and children's accessories as follows: - neckties, bibs, hatters, neckwear, collars, cuffs and aprons.
- Knitted wear for either sex as follows: - undergarments, other than those made wholly of wool; circular knit hosiery of cotton or rayon.
- Work clothing, including aprons for either sex, when made wholly or chiefly of cotton or leather.
- Uniforms for either sex.
- Gloves, gauntlets and mitts for either sex when made wholly or chiefly of cotton or leather, except those designed as specialized sport equipment or for specialized industrial uses.
- Brassieres; foundation garments, but not including surgical corsets.
- Diapers and diaper supports.

HOUSEHOLD AND OTHER TEXTILES

- Textile products as follows, when made wholly or chiefly of cotton or rayon: - bath mats, bedspreads, blankets except horseblankets, curtains, dishcloths, dish towels, drapes, face cloths, luncheon sets, napkins, pillow cases, sheets, silken cloths, table cloths, throwovers, toilet seat covers, towels, wash cloths, window blinds, window shades.
- Floor rugs and mats chiefly of cotton.

DOMESTIC FUELS

- Coal, coke and briquettes, until April 16th, 1947.

HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

- Furnaces, fire place heaters and other heating equipment except portable electric heaters.
- Jacket heaters and other water heating equipment.
- Snap and soap compounds.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCESSORIES

- Pneumatic tires and tubes when sold for the purpose of or as original equipment on agricultural machinery.

CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS

- Lumber of all kinds.
- Millwork such as doors, sashes, windows, stairs and gates.
- Flywood and veneers.
- Pre-cut lumber products designed for use in residential or farm buildings, but not including fully pre-fabricated buildings.
- Gypsum board and gypsum lath.
- Wallboards and building boards.
- Cast iron soil pipe and fittings.
- Nails.

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, IMPLEMENTS, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

- Practically all items of farm machinery, including planting, seeding and fertilizing equipment, plows, tillage implements and cultivators, haying machinery, harvesting machinery, tractors, wagons, dairy machines and equipment, sprayers and dusters.
- Articles of barn and barnyard equipment.
- Incubators, brooders, poultry feeding and watering equipment.
- Stationary gas engines.
- Harness and harness hardware.
- Barbed wire and other fencing wire and fences.
- Blender twine.
- Wheelbarrows.
- Feeds and feed products of all kinds except horse meat, pet foods, straw, cane shell and poultry grit.
- Fertilizers of all kinds, but not including humus, manure, manure, sphagnum, moss or peat moss.
- Gopher poisons.
- Seed beans and seed peas.
- Grains as follows: - wheat; barley; oats; flaxseed; buckwheat; rye; sorghum; sunflower seed; grain screenings.

RAW AND PROCESSED MATERIALS

- Basic iron and steel products and alloys, including pig iron, cast iron, scrap, ingots, bars, plate, rods and wire.
- Primary, secondary and fabricated mill forms of the following non-ferrous metals and their alloys: copper, lead, tin and zinc.
- All fats and oils, including Vitamin A oils, of animal, vegetable or marine origin but not including refined medicinal cod liver oil.
- Glass stock, glass and adhesives of animal origin.
- Starches.
- Fibres, raw or processed, as follows: cotton, hemp, jute, sisal, all synthetic fibres and filaments excepting glass.
- Yarns and threads of, or containing any of the fibres listed above.
- Fabrics, over 12 inches in width whether knitted or woven of, or containing any of the yarns and threads referred to above.

PULP AND PAPER

- Wastepaper.
- Wood pulp, except (a) dissolving grades, (b) "alpha" grades of bleached sulphate, (c) "muirhead", (d) groundwood and unbleached sulphate grades sold for the manufacture of newsprint or hanging paper.
- Newsprint paper except when sold by manufacturers thereof.
- Paper board used in the manufacture of solid fibre or corrugated shipping cases.
- Boxboard grades of paper board, except for wrapping newsprint paper or making newsprint cores.

CONTAINERS AND PACKAGING MATERIALS

- Containers, packaging and wrapping devices of a type used for the sale or shipment of products, when made from a textile fabric and including bags, cases, envelopes, folders and sacks.

SERVICES

- Transportation of goods and services associated therewith.
- Warehousing; dry storage of general merchandise and household goods other than wearing apparel; cold storage, including rental of lockers and ancillary services such as processing charges in cold storage plants.
- Supplying of meals or refreshments for consumption on the seller's premises, the supplying of beverages (except alcoholic beverages) by purveyors of meals or refreshments; the supplying of meals with sleeping accommodation for a combined charge, but not including the supplying of meals, refreshments or sleeping accommodation by an employer to his employees, directly or through a servant or agent.
- The packing or packaging or any other manufacturing process in respect of any goods subject to maximum prices, when performed on a custom or commission basis.

USED GOODS

- Used bags and used bagging and baling material.

Any material shown above processed for incorporation into, or any fabricated component part of any of the above goods is subject to maximum prices. Also any set which contains an article referred to above is subject to maximum prices even though the remainder of the set consists of articles not referred to.

DONALD GORDON, Chairman.
Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD

Aurora—Mrs. Beulah Hogarth, sister of Rev. Roy F. Hicks, underwent a serious operation last week. She is progressing favorably in a Toronto hospital.



PINE ORCHARD Plow Route For Truck With Building Material

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Widdifield and Mr. Kenneth Widdifield, Newmarket, and Miss Doris Borden, Oakville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allan and Miss Aleta Widdifield.

Mr. Kenneth Widdifield left on Friday, March 28, for White Horse, Yukon, where he has accepted a position with the Canadian government.

Mrs. Randall Chapman is confined to the house through ill health.

Dr. Kruger's cabin at Cedar Valley pond was destroyed by fire recently. The doctor has purchased an army hut to replace the cabin. The trucks delivering the building material arrived while the road was blocked. But with the aid of a tractor plow and 15 snow-shovellers the mile of road was soon cleared.

Cars were stalled and motor transportation halted for two days last week by the blizzard.

Miss Marie Reynolds, Newmarket, has been at home for a few days.

The Mitchell family of Cedar Valley moved to the 9th concession last week.

The W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. B. Dike on Wednesday, April 9. The meeting is in the charge of Social Welfare committee of Mrs. P. Tidman.

Mrs. J. Pyle, Mrs. B. Dike, Mrs. M. McMullen, Mrs. C. Link and

CONSUMER'S RATION COUPON CALENDAR

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20	21	22	23	24 BUTTER COUPON B49 MEAT COUPON M82 Valid	25	26
27	28	29	30			

Mrs. L. Harper.

Roll-call will be a color scheme for home decoration. There will be a paper on "Life of Canadian Authors," by Mrs. C. Link and Mrs. P. Tidman. There will be an election of officers. The Historical Research committee of the W.I. is completing a Lady Tweedsmuir History Book of Pine Orchard community and is anxious to receive a history of each home in the community, and any item of interest. Information may be handed to Mrs. R. Armitage.

There will be special Easter music by the choir at the Union church on Easter Sunday, April 6, also selections by the orchestra. Rev. Norman Rowan will be in charge of service at 2.30 p.m. All are welcome.

Rev. Roy Boudreau, M.A., of Atwood, was speaker at the Presbyterian church, Newmarket, on Sunday, March 30. Rev. Boudreau is a former teacher of Pine Orchard school.

AURORA LEGION WILL HOLD DANCE APRIL 11

Aurora—Aurora Branch 385, Canadian Legion, will hold the regular April meeting on Tuesday, April 8, in the Aurora Armory. On April 11, Legion members are holding a dance in the high school auditorium. On April 18 a bingo open to the public is being held in the Aurora Armory. The month's activities will culminate with a Zone rally in Aurora on April 25.

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CONSUMER'S RATION COUPON CALENDAR

HUGH COX WED

IN CLAREMONT

Rev. Ivan Kennedy officiated at the marriage, March 8, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson, Claremont, of Mabel Pauline Johnson to Hugh Arthur Cox of Newmarket, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cox, Newmarket.

In a setting of daffodils and snapdragons, the bride entered on the arm of her father who gave her away. She wore a gown of white corded silk with veil held by a halo of orange blossoms, and carried white carnations and sweet peas. Her only attendant was Dorothy Burton, Claremont, dressed in turquoise silk crepe with V-neckline, and shoulder veil held by a halo of yellow roses and violets. She carried yellow roses. Bennie Cox, Newmarket, a cousin of the groom, was best man.

Mrs. Johnson received in a street-length dress of black flowered silk crepe with matching straw hat and corsage of pink carnations. The groom's mother assisted in an afternoon frock of printed flowered crepe with black straw-hat and a similar corsage. For the wedding trip to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, the bride travelled in a flowered silk jersey frock with brown fur coat and matching hat. The couple will live in Toronto.

HOLLAND LANDING

The assessor for East Gwillimbury twp. is on his rounds for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Goodwin attended the Falcon Hunt club annual dinner and dance in Toronto on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Norman Maukonen spent Thursday in Toronto.

Mr. T. Shurard has purchased the Torti farm from Mr. George Hinton and is taking possession this week.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Wm. Dean is home from York County hospital and is doing well, although he has to report to the hospital for treatments.

Master John David Goodwin entertained a number of his young friends on his fifth birthday, April 2.

Easter service in Christ church will be held at 3 p.m. Rev. R. N. Savary will be officiating. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Goodwin attended the Canada Packers Bowling club dance in Toronto on Tuesday.

A shower was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Bell in honor of Miss Florence Drake who was married to Willard Stickwood on Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Sheppard was visiting friends in Toronto over the weekend.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. Tom Watson is slowly recovering from his recent illness.

Service in the United church on Easter Sunday will be at 2.30 p.m. There will be special music by the choir. Everyone is welcome.

Miss Kendrick, Huntsville, visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jacques, over the weekend.

Miss Dorothy Sheppard spent the weekend in Toronto with the Misses Ruth and Doris Kearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ormand Riches visited Mrs. Riches' mother, Mrs. S. Cooke, on Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Shields, Toronto, spent a few days last week with his wife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Russell, Toronto, visited their uncle, Mr. B. O'Leary, on Monday.

SHARON

The Women's Association of the United church is having a supper in Sharon hall on Thursday, April 10. A good crowd is looked for.

Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. Wilfred Fountain.

Mr. M. E. Kiteley is spending a week at home. The Misses Gwen Kiteley and Dawn Carr, also Donald Kiteley, all of Toronto, spent the weekend at the Kiteley home.

Mrs. T. Collins spent a few days last week at Gormley with Mrs. Glebe.

Miss Mary Vanstone, Toronto, spent the weekend at home.

Mr. Ted Fife spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fife.

Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas in Toronto on Sunday.

VANDORF Moving From Vandorf, Two Families Feted

Miss Ruth Oliver spent the weekend with friends in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mori and family, who have been living on the Gincott farm, are moving to Toronto.

Mrs. Herbert Oliver, Mrs. Percy Allin, Mrs. George E. Richardson, Mrs. Jack Moynihan, Mrs. John Petch and Mrs. Jack Preston spent Thursday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter and family moved to their farm at Keswick this week. Mr. and Mrs. George H. Richardson and children have gone to live on their farm, east of Queensville.

Their neighbors gathered at Hartman school on Monday night, March 24, to bid them farewell and extend best wishes for the future. Mr. Lambert Wilson read the address and Mrs. Walter Graham and Mrs. Ewart Pinder made the presentations. Each family received an occasional chair, a table lamp and an end table. There was an interesting program followed by refreshments.

Earle Foster is having a sale of farm stock, machinery and household furniture on Good Friday.

The social, sponsored by the Women's Institute and held in Vandorf hall on Friday night was a success. The children played croquette. The prize winners for the euchre were: ladies, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Stephen Eade, consolation, Mrs. Eric Moynihan; men's, Floyd Preston and a visitor at the Jennings' home, consolation, Victor Fines.

Travellers had great difficulty again last week because of another snow storm and blizzard. Some of them reached home after shovelling but several were held up for the night. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White had five visitors all night and others just for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moynihan had 16 over night. Among this group were Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt, Mrs. Harry Hunt, Mrs. Ivan Kay, Mrs. Elmer Preston and Bobby and Mr. Bruni.

Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Babcock, John and Mary, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Switzer on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. King, Florence and Samuel, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Switzer on Saturday.

QUEENSVILLE

Miss Ruth Smith was at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, over the weekend.

The euchre party sponsored by the rink committee will be held at the school this Thursday instead of the usual Friday night.

A number of the Queensville men went to Oshawa Monday night to see the Markham team play a winning game.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cunningham and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baldson who have moved to the village.

Mr. M. Kennedy has bought the Greig property and Mr. Art Greig and family are moving to Queensville.

A farewell party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones last week and they were presented with a beautiful lamp. They are now residing on a farm in Whitchurch.

The community extends sympathy to Mrs. Jack Graham in the loss of her husband.

The Women's Association will hold its meeting Tuesday, April 8. Hostesses for the supper are Mrs. J. T. Cowleson, Mrs. Wm. Arnold, Mrs. S. H. Bolton, Mrs. Ewart Mainprize, Mrs. Alken and Mrs. Angus Smith.

Mr. Allan Baldson and family have moved to the former Linstead farm on the south. Mr. Walter Baldson is now residing in Newmarket.

The crucifixion will be given in Newmarket United church on Good Friday night. Some of our village young people are taking part.

KETTLEBY

Mr. Allan Curtis and Mr. H. Smith, Port Hope, spent last Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heacock, Newmarket, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Heacock.

PLEASANTVILLE

Little Miss Edith Kay celebrated her 11th birthday on Monday, and entertained Miss Mary Sheridan, Miss Marie Cutting and Miss Dorothy Hartford. Glad to report Mrs. Douglas McClure has recovered from her recent operation and is convalescing at her parents' home in Sharon.

Mr. E. Madill visited his daughter, Mrs. A. Richardson, and family, Aurora, over the weekend.

Mr. Albert Howlett and family moved on Saturday to their new home on a farm east of Queensville.

Tuesday, March 25, sure was a deceiving day, as far as weather was concerned. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt, Mrs. G. Hunt, Mrs. Ivan Kay and Edith Kay motored to the city on Monday and were unable to return all the way home. They and several other stranded folk had to stay at Mr. Monihan's home on the Aurora sideroad for the night.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walker, as a new daughter has arrived. Also to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wellman, who have a baby girl.

Pine Orchard Union church choir is planning for special music and orchestral numbers on Easter Sunday, April 6.

POTTAGEVILLE

We are sorry to report that our minister, Rev. C. E. Cragg, is on the sick list. He was greatly missed by his congregation on Sunday morning and a speedy recovery is hoped for. Through the kindness of Mr. George West, the service was carried on in the usual way, which was much appreciated by all present.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dove were Mr. and Mrs. James Fuller and Mrs. M. Hendrie, Hammetown.

Mrs. M. Hendrie is still visiting with her daughter, Mrs. A. Dove.

Mr. and Mrs. George West and Mr. and Mrs. T. Blackburn spent Saturday in Aurora.

The Baptist Mission Circle will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Hamilton on Thursday afternoon, April 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Proctor and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Proctor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coburn, Tottenham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Blackburn and family, Kettleby, spent Sunday with Mr. Blackburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Blackburn.

Mrs. Robt. Smith spent the weekend with her son, Mr. George Smith, Springdale.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mashinter, Malton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mashinter's brother, Mr. E. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Paton, Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. Paton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Paton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutt spent Sunday with their son, Mr. Harold Hutt.

Mr. and Mrs. George West and family spent Sunday with friends in Toronto.

WILLOW BEACH

Captain and Mrs. Barker have returned home after spending the winter months in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Crittenden, Marie and Marie Matt motored to Lindsay on Saturday.

Mr. Charles Draper, Usbridge, is visiting his son, Mr. Clyde Draper.

The snow storm Saturday night was so bad that Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson and baby were unable to get home from Sutton and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Matt. They got home Sunday by sleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Darlington were here over the weekend at Mr. and Mrs. H. Powell's.

On Monday evening another progressive euchre was held at the school house. There were seven tables and a delightful lunch was served. Proceeds will be used to buy games, etc., for the children.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson is expected home on Tuesday.

MOUNT ALBERT

Sgt. Major Bruce Davidson and Mrs. Davidson, Barrie, were at the home of Mrs. Davidson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Williamson, for several days last week.

The Cheerio group, which met on Saturday evening, decided to gather magazines and books, crocheted cotton and yarn to be sent to the old ladies at York County Home. These can be left with Miss Harman at Theaker's store or taken to the next meeting.

Mr. Hugh Price is the new caretaker at the public school.

Mr. Len Brown is moving into part of the house on Mr. Wagg's farm across from the cemetery.

Mrs. Alonzo Blizard, Markham, spent a few days last week at the home of Mrs. Will Rollins.

Mr. Howard Morton had the misfortune to slip and break a bone in his leg recently. After being taken to York County hospital for x-ray, he is now confined to his home for some weeks.

Misses Joan Mainprize and Barbara Roberts spent Saturday in Toronto.

The sudden storm on Saturday evening spoiled the attendance at the Cheerio Group meeting at Mrs. Black's.

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beater, sideboard, brand new hand washing machine, never used. Apply John Wayne, c/o Mrs. Victor Skinner, Queensville, R.R. 1. *1w10

For sale—2 ladies' coats, medium size, light weight, cheap. Apply 52 Timothy St. E., Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Man's spring tweed coat, practically new. Phone 767w, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Battery radio, cabinet model, 5 tubes, good condition. Price \$25. Coleman gasoline lantern, nearly new, price \$5. Apply C. Wheeler, Main St. N., Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Record player unit and jack for radio, nearly new. Price \$10. Phone 304r, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Folding cot and mattress, excellent condition, \$10; 2-coil hot plate, \$3. Phone 3103j, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Lady's tweed coat, size 44, in good condition. Reasonable price. Apply 13 Simcoe St. E., Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—2 Good Year all-weather tires, size 500x19, slightly used. Apply at Boyd Pattons, Pottsville. *1w10

For sale—Used 1941 International radiator. Apply Goodman's Auto Parts, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Refrigerator, ice, capacity about 50 lbs. Phone 759w, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Boy's bicycle, looks like new and runs like new. Apply 48 Lorne Ave., Newmarket, or phone 435. *1w10

For sale—Modern oak kitchen cabinet, 1 red 4-piece sunroom set; 1 blue English pram. Phone Newmarket 612j or apply 2 doors north of cemetery on Main St. N. *1w10

17A PRODUCE

EGGS EGGS
We are now open to receive eggs or will pick up at your farm. Come in and see us or write. R. W. Burgess, market square, phone 611j, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Katahdin potatoes, foundation A; also Irish Cobblers, foundation A. Apply J. Petrie, Queensville, phone 1628. *1w10

For sale—Several tons of hay, Apply Mike Catania, Sr., R. R. 2, Newmarket, or phone 1493j, Newmarket. *1w10

Wanted—Oats, barley, or mixed grain. Prevailing prices paid. Phone or write what you have to offer. Perks' Feed Mill, Newmarket, phone Newmarket 657. *1w10

For sale—Irish Cabbler potatoes. Apply Stan Lunan, Mount Albert, or phone 1013, Mount Albert. *1w10

17B MERCHANDISE

Wanted—100 customers for men's dual-comfort rubbers at Insley's. Just the rubber to wear with felt boots. Also very suitable to go over heavy work boots. Heavy roll edge and storm toe front. Limited quantity. \$1.39. *1w10

For sale—Radio tubes and batteries. We carry a complete stock of Eveready, Burgess and General batteries for all radios. We have a large stock of all available tubes. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliances, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. *1w10

Insley's men's and boys' wear store. Remember it's not what you pay for merchandise, it's what you get for what you pay. *1w10

Come on in—Insley's style store always welcomes you! If you are a newcomer to town, come on in and let's get acquainted. A friendly chat will go a long, long way. *1w10

Shoes at Insley's style leader store for men and boys. Work and dress shoes. Purchased now can save 10 to 15 percent. Why not take the opportunity? *1w10

Suits at Insley's style leader store, men's, young men's, students', grads' boys', intermediates', juniors' boys'. Topcoats, raincoats. Thrifty people can save 25 percent this week. *1w10

For sale—Hearing aid batteries for most popular makes. Stewart Beare, Radio and Appliances, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. *1w10

Alterations at Insley's. Bring your little troubles along. Pants, sleeves, coat shortened. It pleases us to please you. Nothing is too much trouble at Cliff's. *1w10

For sale—Maroon pram in good condition. Phone 259j, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Man's bicycle, in good condition. Apply 24 Simcoe St. W., or phone 361j, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Smaller boy's brown wool tweed suits at Insley's style leader store. Single-breasted style, nicely tailored without, pair lined knee pants, belt and buckle, sizes 4 to 7 years. \$8.50. *1w10

For sale—At Insley's style leader store, small children's all wool, English Donegal coats and caps to match, age 2 to 8 years. Sizes 20 to 25. Cliff sure knows how to dress young Canada. *1w10

18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Household effects of every description. Apply 151 Main St. or phone 738j, Newmarket. *1w10

Wanted to buy—Log house in good condition. State price and location. Apply Frank Robertson, R. R. 2, King, or phone King 27-4. *1w10

Wanted to buy—Piano in good condition. Would consider player piano if action not too stiff. State all particulars. Principals only. Write Era and Express box 1286. *1w10

Wanted to buy—Small house in Newmarket. Possession not necessary. Confidential. Principals only. State all particulars. Write Era and Express box 1287. *1w10

Wanted to buy—Fence rails in fences or piles. Apply E. Blizard or phone 202w2, Newmarket. *1w10

19A USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—For cash. Good used cars, any make, any model. Phone 777, Newmarket. *1w10

20 USED TRUCK FOR SALE

For sale—Truck, 1941 International, 5-ton stake, serial 803. I also have a P.C.V. for this truck. Apply Wilfred Dean, Thornhill. *1w10

21 HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Experienced married man for general farm work, no children. Apply Era and Express box 1282. *1w10

Help wanted—Waitresses wanted, no experience needed, good pay and working conditions. Dan's Cafe, Aurora. *1w10

Help wanted—Carpenters for general work. Phone 468, Newmarket, or apply Ross Howlett, 36 Park Ave., Newmarket. *1w10

Help wanted—Cook, housekeeper for country home in the vicinity of Richmond Hill, 2 adults, 1 school-age child, no laundry. Write Mrs. Hugh Wilson, R. R. 2, Maple. *1w10

Help wanted—Girl or woman for full-time work in lunch room. Apply Era and Express box 1284. *1w10

Help wanted—Housekeeper for family of 2. No washing. An ideal home for right person, young girl or middle-aged woman. Most afternoons and all evenings free. Sleep in or out. Apply Era and Express box 1283. *1w10

Help wanted—Young girl, single, neat appearance, as clerk, experience not essential but willing to learn. Good chance for advancement, good wages to start. Apply in person, Loblaw Groceries Co. Ltd., Newmarket. *1w10

23 WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Experienced gardener wishes work caring for lawns and gardens. Apply Era and Express box 1278. *1w10

Fine sewing and leather work done. Zippers replaced and expert mending. Reasonable. Mrs. A. Wolfe, 44 Main St., Newmarket. *1w10

Work wanted—Careful, reliable driver with chauffeur's license available for part-time driving. Write Era and Express box 1285. *1w10

Work wanted—Plain sewing and mending done at home. Apply Mrs. Peter Fallon, 149 Main St., Newmarket. *1w10

24 LOST

Lost—Will the lady who borrowed a Waterman fountain pen to check her name at Irish Night at the town hall please return it to Mrs. J. O'Connor, 7 Queen St. W. Owner is returned man. *1w10

HORSES

For sale—Carload good, blocky mares and geldings, some matched teams. All well broken, weighing from 1,400 to 1,800 lbs. A number of high class saddle horses. Also several well-broken ponies at Cousins' Pony Farm, Aurora, Thursday, April 10, at 1:30 p.m. Cousins and Walker, managers. *1w10

For sale—Real good cow, red and white, springer. Apply Otto Barkey or phone 602, Queensville. *1w10

For sale—2 young sows, 1 bred 6 weeks, 1 bred 8 weeks. 26 piglets, laying, \$1.25 each. Phone Mount Albert 147 9/10. Ken Scott. *1w10

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for tractor, \$40. Geer and Byers, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Tractor, 10-20 International, on steel. In good running condition. Phone Newmarket 467w1. *1w10

26 STRAYED

Strayed—Puppy on Tuesday, March 25, hound type, black and tan, female, about 3 mos. old. Owner please contact Mr. J. McCulley, Pickering College. *1w10

27 FARM ITEMS

SURGE

Cleaner milk, faster milking. Milkers and dairymaid heaters. Inquire now for spring delivery. H. Elliott and Son, 160 King St. W., phone 1015j. *1w10

ATTENTION FARMERS

Wanted—Cucumber acreage. Canada Packers, Newmarket. Apply W. Adams, Newmarket, phone 15. *1w10

For sale—Jamesway oil brooder stove, used 3 weeks; Jamesway electric 600-egg incubator, in perfect working order and in good condition. Apply Bert Chandler, Keswick. *1w10

For sale—Milk units, cheap. DeLaval, Hinnman, Woods, Universal, McDeering, also complete outfits. Apply H. Elliott and Son, phone 1015j, 160 King St. W. *1w10

For sale—Vicland oats, very resistant to rust and stiff straw. Phone 513 or apply R. Senneker, Queensville. *1w10

For sale—4 traces, 1 1/2", doubled and stuck with chain links and swivel. Reason for selling, not strong enough to hold the big horses. Apply Ira Travis, Queensville. *1w10

For sale—Team work horses, seed oats, Vanguard, 40 pigs, 3 mos. old, 15 young sows, due May and June. Apply Frank Sheridan, Pine Orchard. *1w10

For sale—6 tons timothy hay. Apply A. Hare, Holland Landing. *1w10

For sale—Broiler plant. Picking machine, slightly used, cost \$215, will sell for \$175. 2 electric brooders, \$15 each; 1 G.M.C. truck, 2 ton, \$125 or best offer; large quantity of fountains and hoppers. Apply Fred Wise, Richmond Hill, phone 475. *1w10

For sale—Ajax oats, No. 1 seed, government grade, 99 percent germination, \$1 per bushel. Murray Faris, Maple Farm, phone 4611j, Bradford. *1w10

For sale—Collie pup, female, beginning to work. Of excellent stock. D. W. Evans, Bogartown. *1w10

28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—Purebred Ayrshire bull, 18 mos. old. Yorkshire bull, year old. Stan Lunan, phone 1013, Mount Albert. *1w10

For sale—Roan Percheron mare, rising 7 years, or will trade on a young cow. Apply Gordon Stevenson, Keswick. *1w10

For sale—Good Clyde team bay mares, white legs and faces, 6 and 10 yrs. old; Jersey cow, 5 yrs. old, due April 1. Phone Queensville 604 or apply Levi Weddel, Sharon. *1w10

For sale—Some good horses for sale or will exchange for worn-out horses. Apply E. Wardell, Baldwin. *1w10

For sale—Number of pigs, all ages. Apply Stanley Eves, Queensville, or phone 320, Queensville. *1w10

For sale—Calves to veal. Apply B. Cunningham, phone 3110, Queensville. *1w10

For sale—Gander, 10 pigs, 8 weeks old. Apply Chas. Brandon, Cedar Valley, phone Mount Albert 3210. *1w10

For sale—10 pigs, 8 weeks old. Apply A. Hare, Holland Landing. *1w10

For sale—4 yearling Jersey heifers, 5 winter calves. Phone Aurora 23613. *1w10

For sale—Black mare. Phone 82r23, Aurora. *1w10

For sale—Purebred Shorthorn bulls at or near serviceable age, reasonably priced, herd fully accredited, federally listed. Murray Faris, Maple Farm, phone 4611j, Bradford. *1w10

MACNAB HARDWARE

For the past two years your co-operation has enabled us to give our staff a full day's holiday each Wednesday. Your further co-operation will allow us to continue this policy of all day Wednesday closing. It will be a pleasure to serve you on other week days as before, 8:30 to 6 and to 10:30 on Saturdays. Your buying during the above hours will be appreciated by our staff. J. B. Macnab and staff. *1w10

CEMENT BLOCKS

8" and 10" Plain and rock. Phone Newmarket 426j or 3213. *1w10

28A LIVESTOCK WANTED

Wanted to buy—100 horses for milk feed. Apply Ranch, con. 3, Whitchurch, 1/2 mile south Bogartown, or phone Aurora 14j. John Closs and Son. *1w10

29A CHICKS FOR SALE

CHICKS

R.O.P. SIBED BARRED ROCKS
For profitable chicks from high producing large egg strain, ordered Hillview Farm R.O.P. sired Barred Rocks. Every breeder pullover tested and government branded. Started pullets and started mixed chicks when available. Price list on request. Dealer for Jamesway Poultry Equipment and Dr. Salisbury's Ren-O-Sal for coccidiosis. Harold Hill, Gormley, R. R. 2, Phone Stouffville 1520. *1w10

Bray Chicks—Until our new plant at Newmarket is open, see A. A. Reinke, 9 Pearson St., Newmarket. He will quote prices and take your order. Chicks for March-April should be ordered now and for immediate delivery we may have some odd lots. Bray Hatchery, 120 John N., Hamilton. *1w10

For sale—Bargains in 2, 3 and 4-week-old cockerels, while they last. Barred Rocks, New Hampshire x Barred Rocks, New Hampshire, 2 weeks old, \$10.95; assorted heavies, \$10.75. 3-week-old add \$2; 4-week-old add \$4; large egg quality add \$1; specially selected add \$2 per 100 above prices. Also pullets and non-sexed started chicks at bargain prices. Shipped C.O.D. This advertisement must accompany your order to receive these special prices. Top Notch Chickeries, Guelph. *1w10

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to get Hillside Chicks, maturing for the good fall and winter markets. The need for eggs and poultry meat will be great. We have chicks immediate delivery, some started, and heavy cockerels. Soon out on range growing to catch the good markets. Canada Approved, breeders pullover tested, 100 percent live delivery guaranteed. Hillside Poultry Farm, New Dundee, or Chas. M. Sedore, c/o Mr. Theo Crittenden, 43 Botsford St., Newmarket. *1w10

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

Benersyde Poultry Farm. Breeders of fast feathered Barred Rocks. Hatching from December to June. Choice dressed roasters at all times. J. S. Murby, Aurora, phone 44m. *1w10

29B POULTRY WANTED

Wanted to buy—All kinds of live poultry. Premium paid above market prices. Will call. Phone Newmarket 657. *1w10

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Man wanted for Rawleigh business. Real opportunity. We help you get started. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. M.L.C.295-O, Montreal. *1w10

31 MISCELLANEOUS

SASH AND DOORS
made to order. Call Harry Rundie, Queensville. Phone Mount Albert 1705. *1w10

For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery for those who suffer from varicose veins, ankle and knee trouble. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. *1w10

Old horses wanted—We pay the highest cash prices. Phone Queensville 1600 collect. Rex Smith, Queensville. *1w10

Wanted to buy—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. We pay for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 511j, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—260-egg incubator. Buckeye Phone 1617, Queensville, or write Norman Summers, R. R. 1, Queensville. *1w10

For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. *1w10

Hygienic supplies (rubber goods) mailed postpaid in plain sealed envelope with price list 6 samples 25c; 24 samples \$1. Mail order dept. T-68, Nov-Rubber Co., box 91, Hamilton, Ont. *1w10

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8" and 10" Plain and rock. Phone Newmarket 426j or 3213. *1w10

ROOF LEAKS

Snow and ice removed from roofs. Phone Newmarket 773w. *1w10

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto, phone AD3636. *1w10

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For coughs, colds and bronchitis. A prompt and effective remedy for the relief of bronchitis, tight or chesty coughs and colds, 50 cents. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket. *1w10

We buy and sell shotguns and 22 rifles. We have ammunition available for all calibres. Morrison's Men's Wear, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Venetian blinds, aluminum or steel, made for all styles of windows. Free estimates and installations. Also wood blinds, refinished and repaired with new tapes and cords. Phone 755 or apply at 40 Ontario St. W., or write P.O. box 496, Newmarket. *1w10

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Save up to one-third of your fuel bill in winter and keep up to 15 degrees cooler in summer by having your home insulated with Rockwool. Get your home insulated at 10 percent savings by your local firm. Free estimates. Telephone your local agent, Ivo Ramm, 782w or 304m, Newmarket. *1w10

NORTH YORK MEMORIAL LETTERING

Monuments lettered, cleaned and other stone work. Apply A. Yeaton, R. R. 2, Aurora. *1w10

Everything must be sold as we need the room. Harness parts and leather. Also lady's suitcase. Apply Mrs. A. Wolfe, 44 Main St., Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—2 panel doors, 2' 6" by 6' 6", almost new. Apply Freeman Pollock, Keswick. *1w10

For sale—About 40,000 4" and 6" weeping tile. Apply Lorne Baker or phone 112j, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Mink equipment. Apply 34 Yonge St. S., Aurora. *1w10

32 WOOD FOR SALE

For sale—Wood for fuel. Delivery. Armstrong and McGreeley, wood dealers. Phone Newmarket 983w. *1w10

For sale—Wood, mixed dry slabs, delivered. Phone 689j, Newmarket. *1w10

For sale—Cedar posts, also some hydro poles. Apply Frank Graham, Queensville. *1w10

33 PETS

For sale—20 New Zealand red does, 11 Thistledown white angoras. Phone 1617 or write Norman Summers, Queensville. *1w10

For sale—Fox hound, belonged to late Bill Davidson. Apply Mr. Serrick, Keswick. *1w10

SALE REGISTER

Friday, April 4—Auction sale of Holstein herd of cattle, hogs, horses, implements, tools, etc., property of James Morris on lots 25 and 26, con. 6, E. Gwillimbury. Terms cash. Sale at 12:30 sharp. Everything will be sold without reserve as owner is giving up farming. Percy Mahoney, clerk. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, phone 105, Queensville. *1w10

Friday, April 4—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, hay, grain and furniture, the property of Earl Foster, lot 14, con. 5, Whitchurch. Sale at 1 p.m. No reserve as farm is sold. J. A. Clark, clerk, A. S. Farmer, auctioneer. *1w10

Saturday, April 12—Auction sale of household effects, tools, dishes, bedding, etc., property of Lawrence Foster, in the village of Queensville. Everything sold without reserve as owner is giving up housekeeping. Terms cash. Sale 1 o'clock sharp. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, phone 105, Queensville. *1w10

Saturday, April 12—Postponed auction sale of household furniture, the property of Mrs. Jane Marshall, 2 1/2 miles south of Aurora, 1 mile west of CFB station. Terms cash. Sale at 1:30 sharp. Gordon Phillips, auctioneer. *1w10

Tuesday, April 15—Auction sale of household effects consisting of radios, bedding, dishes, furniture, etc., property of Mrs. Switzer, in the village of Keswick. Everything sold without reserve as owner is giving up housekeeping. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp. Percy Mahoney, clerk; J. F. Kavanagh, Auctioneer, phone 105, Queensville. *1w10

Wednesday, April 16—Auction sale of farm stock and implements, grain, hay, hogs, etc., property of Arthur Greig, lot 18, con. 2, East Gwillimbury, half-mile south of Queensville on highway. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp. Terms cash. Everything sold without reserve as farm is sold. Percy Mahoney and John Grant, clerks; J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, phone 105, Queensville. *1w10

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. George C. West and family wish to thank their many friends, relatives and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes presented to them during the loss of a dear son and brother, Charles, especially thanking those who so kindly loaned their cars. *1w10

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones, Queensville, wish to thank their neighbors and friends for the beautiful floor lamp which was presented to them on the eve of their departure for their new home. *1w10

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to my relatives, friends and employees of Davis Leather Co. for the lovely flowers, fruit, cards and the kind inquiries during my illness in York County hospital, also the nurses and Dr. Devins for their kindness shown. Mrs. Rose Gibson. *1w10

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. J. C. R. Edwards, the nurses and all my friends and neighbors for their kindness during my illness and convalescence. Rose Chadwick. *1w10

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schmidt and family of Kettleby wish to express their deep appreciation to their many neighbors, friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness and sympathy and beautiful floral tributes extended during the loss of a dear father and grandfather, Mr. Jesse Taton. They also wish to extend their thanks to the pallbearers, Dr. J. L. Urquhart, Rev. C. E. Cragg and especially to Rev. Henry Cotton, who so kindly took the service for his consoling words. *1w10

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank relatives and friends of Newmarket for their kindness and help during my illness in York County hospital. Also to Mount Zion Sunday-school, Ravenshoe United church and Union Street Institute for the lovely baskets of fruit and thanks to neighbors and friends for their help, boxes and baskets of eats, letters and cards. Also thanks to Dr. Boyd and the nurses of York County hospital. Mrs. James Milton, Ravenshoe. *1w10

CORRECTION

In the February 27 issue of The Era and Express, in a report on George Robitaille appearing under the heading of Around Town, Mr. Robitaille is quoted as saying that he and Walter Collins entered the contracting business together. This was a misunderstanding. Mr. Robitaille was in the employ of Mr. Collins but never a partner. *1w10

Use the classified ad columns and add to your income by selling articles you no longer need. *1w10

TENDERS WANTED

Wanted tenders—for electrical work. Tenders will be received by the undersigned until April 12, 1947, for re-wiring the three public schools. *1w10

Prices to be quoted separately on each school. Blue prints and specifications may be seen at 35 Lorne Ave. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. R. L. Pritchard, secretary, Newmarket public school board. *1w10

TENDERS WANTED

CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET
Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked "tender for truck" will be received to 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, April 5, for one 3-ton truck, approximately 158"-160" wheelbase, chassis and cab, spare tire and tube, heater and defroster, 8.25x20x10-ply tires, also date of delivery. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Wesley Brooks, Clerk, Town of Newmarket. *1w10

TENDERS WANTED

Contractor to excavate, lay and connect up 120' 4" glazed drain tile in Aurora. Apply Griffith, P.O. box 15, Aurora. *1w10

TENDERS WANTED

Contractor to excav

Attend One of These CHURCHES

SUNDAY, APRIL 6TH

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Ragley and Water Sts.
Rev. Alex. McLean, Willowdale, interim moderator
Preacher: Rev. Decourcy T. Mayner, Toronto
Special Easter music by choir
Guest soloist:
Miss Gwen Lambert
Miss Mae Patterson, A.T.C.M., organist and choir director
2.30 p.m.—Sunday-school
Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Young People's

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
ALEXANDER B. STEIN, Pastor
MRS. J. E. CANE, Organist
11 a.m.—"THE MIGHTY MEANING OF EASTER"
Reception of members
2.30 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—The pastor's farewell message: "THE FORGOTTEN VOICE"
My Last Weekly Thought
"Too many souls are seeking comforts instead of conquests." "He reigneth! He reigneth! But let us never forget that it is from the throne of Golgotha."

FRIENDS' MEETING
Balford Street
Easter Sunday
"He is not here; for He is risen as He said. He goeth before you into Galilee; there shall ye see Him." Matt. 28: 6-7.
10 a.m.—Sunday-school
11 a.m.—Meeting for worship
Special Easter thank offering for mission work
Come and worship with us at this glad season!
"The empty tomb has brought us faith"
That grows with each new day; And we believe the words He said.
"I am the Life, the Way".

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
31 Millard Ave.
REV. G. H. BACHE, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday-school. Illustrated Easter story. Easter songs by children.
11 a.m.—Special Easter service

JOIN CHURCH
Newmarket — The following became members of Trinity United church Sunday, March 30, either by letter or profession of faith: Miss Barbara Attrill, Mrs. J. Arlitt, Miss Mary Barker, Mrs. C. L. Brownridge, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burkholder, Reid Bell, Lois Cryderman, Jean Deavitt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hogan, Mr. Lewis Hughes, Mrs. Beatrice Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jacques, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kerr, Miss Florence Lindsay, Miss Mary Lindsay, Miss Roberta Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. B. Burns Lind, Ivan MacMillan, Gerald MacMillan, Mr. Archie McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Thorald Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Magee, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nells, Eileen Newton, Miss Ruth Orvis, Miss Margaret Katherine Kerr, Jean Lewis, Miss Gertrude Pollock, Miss Ella Pollock, Miss Doreen Prosser, Miss Marilyn Prosser, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Peel, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Paynter, Mrs. M. Rollow, Mr. and Mrs. James Sloss, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Tobey, Mr. Paul Tobey, Sylvia Wilson, Jean Walton, Miss Sara Watson.

RETURNS FROM FLORIDA
Newmarket — Walter Collins returned from Florida Saturday night, accompanied by a blizzard, after a 20-day stay. Commenting on the cold snap in the south, Mr. Collins, who is a regular visitor, said that he had experienced colder weather but never for such a long period.

TO MEET APRIL 8
The Easter thank offering meeting of the Evangelical Evening Auxiliary of Trinity United church will be held in the school room on Tuesday, April 8, at 8 p.m. Miss Adelaide Harrison, West China, will be the guest speaker.

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7 p.m.—Song and praise by Young People. Message by pastor.
The risen life is the best testimony to a risen Christ.

THE GOSPEL TABERNACLE
Pastor: REV. L. JAMES LAKE
MISS VIOLET CURTIS, Pianist
9.50 a.m.—Bible school
11 a.m.—WORSHIP
Easter music and songs. Marie Cutting, Irene Curtis, duetists. Pastor will sing "Nearer the Old Olive Trees" by B. B. McKinney, "Rose of Sharon" by Thoro Harris, Jr.
Pastor's message:

"GOD'S GARDEN"
7 p.m.—Music that lifts. Songs that cheer. Messages that move. Pastor will sing "Down From His Glory" by William E. Booth, "The Glory Of His Presence" by Rev. Oswald Smith.
Pastor's message:
"DO THE DEAD LIVE AGAIN?"
Jabs by the Way
Two men hung beside Christ on earth. One went to paradise, one went to hell. Where are you going?
We preach Christ Crucified Crowned Coming
"He showed Himself alive"
Visit the Tabernacle this Sunday

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Our church, which has been newly decorated, will be reopened on Good Friday, April 4, at 2.30 p.m. with
ONTARIO DISTRICT YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY
See special announcement page —

EASTER SUNDAY
Sunrise service 7 a.m.
Mrs. Capt. B. Stevens, Aurora Salvation Army, special speaker
10 a.m.—Sunday-school
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Great Easter services
Unveiling of memorial tablet in memory of Mrs. Mary Sparks will be held on Good Friday at 7 p.m.

ENGAGEMENTS
The engagement is announced of Sarah Irene Broughton, daughter of Mrs. James Boyd, Ravensha, and the late Arthur Boyd and Walter Chadwick Sedore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Selby Sedore, Keswick. The marriage will take place May 3 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon in Keswick United church.

BIRTHS
Jones—At York County hospital, Tuesday, April 1, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones, Zephyr, twin sons. Babies died April 2.
Knight—At York County hospital, Thursday, April 3, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Knight, Richmond Hill, a daughter.
Ledrew—At York County hospital, Sunday, March 30, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ledrew, Newmarket, a daughter.
McDonald—At York County hospital, Monday, March 31, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Jim McDonald, Maple, a son.
Ough—At York County hospital, Sunday, March 30, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ough, Aurora, a son.
Quarry—At St. Joseph's hospital, Guelph, on Friday, March 28, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Quarry, Guelph, a son, Marshall David.

Snelling—At York County hospital, Thursday, March 27, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. George Snelling, Keswick, a daughter.
Thompson—At York County hospital, Monday, March 31, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Earley Thompson, Newmarket, a son.
Wrightman—At York County hospital, Saturday, March 29, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wrightman, Newmarket, a son.
Wrightman—At Victoria Memorial hospital on Sunday, March 30, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Wrightman, Barrie, a daughter, a sister for Wayne.

DEATHS
Kirkby — At Newmarket, Thursday, April 3, 1947, George Kirkby, husband of the late Adele Thompson. Resting at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose.
Funeral service on Saturday, April 5, at 2.30 p.m. Interment Newmarket cemetery.
Sweet—At York County hospital, Wednesday, March 26, 1947, Mary Sweet, Holland Landing, wife of the late Angus Sweet and mother of Jess.
The funeral service was held Saturday evening. Interment Queensville cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Turnbull—At Foston, Minnesota, March 30, 1947, Robert Turnbull, M.D., husband of Clara S. Lundy and father of Robert Lundy Turnbull, Minneapolis. Burial in Minneapolis.
AND RED CROSS
Although the war is over, Red Cross work is never finished. Contribution for the Canadian Red Cross campaign in North Gwillimbury will be gratefully received by P. W. Mahoney, Keswick.
IS CONVALESCING
Aurora—Albert Newton, who returned from hospital last week, is convalescing nicely at his home.

A WOMEN'S PAGE

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—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Webster and Donna, and Mr. Fred Webster, all of Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Fred Webster. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Webster has just returned from San Diego, Cal., where Mr. Webster played hockey.

—Mrs. Wm. Hillaby is spending the Easter week with her sister in Montreal.

—Mrs. Annie Sanderson spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. L. Thivierge, St. Catharines.

—Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Flanagan and family visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Flanagan, on the weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams and Mr. Roy Sanderson, all of Uxbridge, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Adams.

—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and family, Toronto, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lyon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ted Byers and their daughter, Virginia, Toronto, were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sedore.

—Flt.-Lieut. J. A. Koffend, who is stationed at Trenton, spent the past week at his home in Newmarket.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barber and daughter, Barbara, Kitchen, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber.

—Mrs. Henry Cotton and Ross Cotton will spend the weekend in Peterboro at the home of Mrs. Marjorie Armour.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mitchell have their son, Andrew, and his wife at home. Mr. Andrew Mitchell has recently been discharged from the R.C.N.V.R.

—Dr. and Mrs. Clarke Mills and children of Weston called at the home of Dr. Mills' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mills.

—On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Baker entertained Mrs. Baker's grandmother, Mrs. Klinck, Stouffville, who is 92 years old. Also Mr. and Mrs. O. Klinck, Stouffville, and Dr. L. S. Klinck, past president of the University of B.C., who is visiting his mother and relatives in Stouffville district.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blizard, Newmarket, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beckett, King, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Blizard, Ravenshoe.

—Mrs. Chas. F. Wood, Miss Bertha Wood, Willowdale, and Mrs. Oral Birchard, Windsor, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Wood.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Robinson, Toronto, spent Sunday afternoon and had tea with their mother, Mrs. A. Walker, and their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mills.

—Mrs. Newton Marshall, Toronto, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Dixon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Burt Playter, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Playter.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gimblett spent Sunday with Mrs. Gimblett's sister, Mrs. Wilfred Travis, and Mr. Travis, Prospect Ave.

—Miss Vera Geer, nurse-in-training at Toronto General hospital, will spend the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Geer.

—Mrs. C. Ludolph, Kitchen, Mrs. Charles Lauder, Sr., and Mrs. Douglas Lauder and Miss Jean Lauder, all of Toronto, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kunkel.

—Miss Mary Rutledge, Reg. N., Vancouver, is spending her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Mills.

School Health Inspection Method Settled By Boards

Aurora—Following a lengthy session Monday of members of the Aurora board of health and Aurora public school board, a slight variation in the present system of health inspection was approved by the two boards. The school board formally made application to the board of health for an agreement and the official inauguration of the plan, and the board of health will submit the proposed agreement to the department of health for approval.

Under the new arrangement there will be one medical inspection, one eye inspection, one dental inspection, and one T.B. test for each pupil a year. All

LEGION NEWS

Newmarket—The regular general meeting of the Newmarket Branch 426, Canadian Legion, was held in the Legion clubrooms on March 31 with a good attendance. President Aubrey G. Seythes presided. The following committee chairmen were appointed: membership committee, Dr. J. G. Cook; finance committee, Ernie McCaffrey; entertainment committee, Cecil Jarvis; welfare committee, Milt Wesley; sports committee, Gordon Ough; house committee, Ray Jelley; by-laws committee, K. M. R. Silver. The chairman for the visiting committee and the publicity committee will be appointed later.

The date set for the cribbage tournament was April 3 at 8.30 p.m. All interested members are requested to contact Cecil Jarvis.

Four new members were accepted. Zone commander A. Phelps congratulated the Newmarket branch for winning the shield for 1946 by obtaining the greatest number of members during the season. George Wales accepted the shield from president Aubrey Seythes on behalf of the members.

At the conclusion of the meeting coffee and sandwiches were served.

On March 22 Major Gen. C. B. Price, at a dinner marking his first official visit as president to the Ontario command, presented the membership shield to president Aubrey Seythes for Branch 426 at the Royal York hotel.

The Newmarket Branch 426, Canadian Legion, announces its Easter dance which will be held on Monday, April 7, at 9 o'clock at the Newmarket high school. Don Gilkes and his nine-piece orchestra will provide the music.

SEES ROBIN

Mr. Thomas Hayes, Keswick, saw a robin on April 1 and it was singing.

GLENVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hughes and family of Newmarket spent Sunday with Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gould and son, Peter, Toronto, were Sunday guests.

Mr. Cal. Doan spent a few days last week in Toronto visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Doan and Helen had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Doan, Newmarket.

Young Hopefuls

By DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

Start 'Em Early
Rita is 15 and a very restless young lady. She wants action and people around her all the time. Rita's mother wishes Rita would take an interest in books and learn to enjoy some quiet reading part of the time.

Suddenly trying to interest a lively girl of 15 in reading for pleasure isn't an easy task. Unless she has cultivated the habit previously, she isn't apt to have any desire to take time from her present exciting and active existence to settle down to reading.

Children should be read to when they are mere babies. Long before words have meanings, babies listen and are pleased and comforted when they hear speech sounds. Mother Goose rhymes have special fascination for wee tots because of their simple sounds. Repetition of them is very interesting to them.

Eventually, they recognize the sounds and then they love them because they are familiar.

Wee tots of two and three years of age enjoy simple stories as well as rhymes and jingles. Stories about little happenings in their own daily living programs and stories about other little boys and girls are most appropriate at this time. Besides, such stories can be used effectively to influence the child's behavior, helping him to be like the good child in the story. Stories must be told over and over again, using the same words and same emphasis, if they are to impress the young mind.

By the time the child is four or five, he is ready for imaginative stories. He is old enough to distinguish between real and make-believe situations; whereas, a younger child would be too confused to gain from imaginative stories. The stories may be about animals who talk and people who can do super-human things. These stories help the child to exercise his own imagination.

Boys and girls of eight and nine years don't enjoy the same type of reading. The girls usually continue to like both realistic fiction and fairy stories, while the boys are partial to stories of adventure, stories of heroes and scientific fiction.

All adolescents who have had a previous reading background, will enjoy biographies or autobiographies of persons who have risen to fame and fortune—after surmounting great difficulties. This type of reading inspires young people to reach their own life's objectives.

It may take considerable strategy to interest Rita in books at this period in her life, but it is most assuredly worth every effort. Her pleasure from books will have to compete with the almost hysterical delight she derives from lengthy chit-chats over the phone with her girl friends.

It would probably be appropriate to introduce Rita to books with stories of girls her own age or slightly older. Rita's mother should be acquainted with several, which include characters of Rita's frivolous type girls who do and say the silliest things, but who eventually turn out to be admirable characters. Reading interests should be stimulated in the crib and satisfied progressively.

Each employee was presented by Mr. Jarvis with a purse of money. Longest service was credited to Mr. Jarvis' eldest son, Cecil, who has been working in his father's business for 17 years. Others to receive a purse of money were: Ted Ballie, 14 years' service; Miss Lilla Hillaby, seven years; Mrs. Norma Nuttall and Ernie Peters, three years' service each.

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On behalf of the employees, Mr. Ballie presented Mr. Jarvis with a Gladstone travelling bag. Mr. Jarvis then presented each one with a remembrance gift.

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The regular meeting of the will be held at the Miss L. Starr, 98 Prospect Ave., Newmarket, on Tuesday.

WHOLESALE EMPLOYEES FETE RETIRING OWNER

Newmarket—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jarvis held a banquet for the employees of the Newmarket Wholesale Registered and a few friends at their home, 220 Main St. Mr. Jarvis has sold his business and on Saturday is retiring after 32 years in the Newmarket Wholesale.

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Interesting Reading For Everyone

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Miss Mabel Ough, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ough.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Long and Mr. and Mrs. James McGhee attended the Forrest-McGhee wedding in Hamilton on Saturday. Mr. James McGhee was an usher at the ceremony, the bride being his cousin.

Gordon Stephenson has joined the staff of Aurora Cleaners.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steels and family, Islington, are spending the Easter holidays with Mrs. Steels' mother, Mrs. Charles Webster.

Miss Mary Elliott, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. James Elliott.

Miss Patricia Gunton, who recently graduated as a nurse, commenced regular duties at Toronto Women's College hospital this week.

Mr. A. A. Cook spent the weekend at Shannonville.

Mrs. Douglas Egan and family are moving to Georgetown this week to join Mr. Egan.

Malcolm Hill, St. Andrew's College, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Kilson, Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murray left on Wednesday for Belmont Lake.

Misses Elva and Audrey Stevenson, Toronto, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Stevenson.

St. Andrew's College boys commenced their Easter holidays this week.

Children Needn't Suffer Speech Defects, W.I. Told

Aurora—"A survey of any community will reveal a surprising number of children handicapped because of speech," Mrs. Dorothy M. Bowman, Newmarket, said in an address delivered to the Aurora branch of the Women's Institute on Thursday.

"Some children stutter, some lisp, some have simple sound substitutions and others have their own individual language that their parents understand but their teachers find most trying. Although the simpler defects may be overcome or outgrown in time with little or no assistance, the child's future usually suffers through the development of an inferiority complex. The most difficult cases, which at one time were considered hopeless, include children afflicted with cleft-palates or hare-lips or those who are deaf, mute or spastic."

"All types of speech difficulties can be corrected with modern methods of speech therapy—though early attention to the difficulty is essential in many instances if a cure is to be effected," she continued.

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"There is nothing more important to a child's mental, physical and emotional stability than good speech," she continued. "A speech handicapped child is the subject of ridicule for other children. He normally assumes an inferiority complex which impedes all learning and results in mental retardation and emotional instability. It is not fair to the child to let him enter school with a defect that might have been corrected previously. His own little life is disrupted, as well as the lives of his teacher and classmates."

She said that early speech training was of the utmost importance if normal development was expected from children with delayed or defective speech. "Long before children are ready for school, they should speak distinctly," Mrs. Bowman continued. "Eighty percent of the pre-school children with speech defects can be taught to speak correctly. It is the duty of the speech therapist to diagnose and correct the speech defect and the duty of the parent to continue practice with the child until his bad speech habits are overcome."

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Times around the World

Here's the length of Long Distance Lines installed in 1946

It has been a tremendous job to keep up with the ever increasing use of Long Distance.

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THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CANADA

EMPLOYERS MUST OBTAIN NEW UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BOOKS

All 1946-47 Unemployment Insurance Books expired on March 31st, 1947.

New books will be issued by the National Employment Offices to employers, but only when old books are completed and turned in to the Office.

Employers are urged to exchange Unemployment Insurance Books immediately.

Penalties are provided for failure to comply.

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ROCHE'S POINT

On Friday, March 21, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Diamond entertained Rev. and Mrs. J. Rhodes and family for dinner at their home. Later in the evening the party went to the home of the Misses Young where a goodly number of parishioners were awaiting them. Mr. Diamond read a short address and presented Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes with a mantel clock as a farewell gift of appreciation. Mr. Rhodes responded and gave an account of small happenings in and around his present parish which were much enjoyed by all. Mrs. Rhodes invited everyone to call on her in her new home.

Refreshments were then served and after singing God Save the King a pleasant evening was brought to a close. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Diamond who had so kindly looked after everything.

On Monday evening Mrs. Sherman and Mrs. Bridges motored to Barrie with Mrs. Thompson and the Misses Young to attend the Easter Star inspection at Bay View chapter.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Kanis opened their home for a euchre in aid of the Roche's Point W.I. A successful evening was enjoyed by all who were able to get there for the roads were in bad condition and the weather far from good. Twelve tables were played. A lovely lunch was served. Good prizes were given.

Mr. Ted Sutcliffe spent the weekend at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Badland and children motored from Brighton for the weekend with Mrs. Badland's mother, Mrs. Sutcliffe. Mrs. Badland is staying for the Easter holidays with her mother, Mr. Badland coming back for her Easter Sunday.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Tassie's mother, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Naismith paid a farewell visit on Saturday to friends here as they are leaving shortly to live in Port Erie.

On Saturday evening, a shower was given by Miss Helen Doyle for the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. K. Cunningham (Shirley Pollock, Island Grove). The living-room was beautifully decorated in pink and white streamers. The bride was seated under an umbrella and proceeded to wind up parcels and gifts of many sizes and shapes for a pink wishing well. Then little Charleen Pollock brought in a beautifully decorated wheelbarrow full of gifts which was a surprise for the bride who had to begin all over again.

A buffet lunch was served from the beautifully arranged table in the dining-room where Mrs. Bridges poured tea and coffee and everyone wandered

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around and chatted and enjoyed themselves, made their own selections and sat where they wished. Owing to the stormy evening there were many who would not get through the drifted roads but those attending from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phoenix, Misses Doris Blaine, Betty Doyle, Blythe Crandell and Mrs. Arlene Sekeving.

ANSNORVELD

Mrs. Vanderklein was taken to York County hospital, Newmarket, where she underwent a serious operation. We wish her a speedy recovery.

The Choral Society will give a Easter concert on Good Friday evening at the Christian Reformed church.

Church service at the Christian Reformed church on Good Friday at 7 p.m.

MOUNT ALBERT

The Mount Albert Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. G. Macpherson on Thursday, April 10, at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses are Miss Leek, Mrs. H. Shillinglaw, Mrs. Lawson. Roll-call is "pay your fees". The program committee is Mrs. H. Leek, Miss M. Dike. There will be an election of officers and music. A paper on community project will be read and a three-minute talk on the handbook at every meeting by Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

The C.G.I.T. of the United church, under their leaders, Mrs. Burgess and Mrs. Bruce Rolling, held their Easter meeting on Friday evening. For some weeks they have been studying the life of Christ leading up to Easter, and as a closing, the story of Christ's crucifixion was told by Mrs. Rolling. She and the girls put on a short pageant of the women at the tomb, which was well done and impressed these truths on younger people in a way they will not forget.

A joint service of both congregations of the village will be held in the United church on Good Friday morning at 10:30 when Rev. W. H. Burgess will conduct the service and Rev. Reive of the Gospel church will be the guest speaker. All are invited to come.

Mrs. G. W. E. Macpherson has an oddity in a potato which has grown in a perfect heart shape, about three inches across. It would have made a real Valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Draper, Mrs. Blanche Illier and Carol Richards, Toronto, spent Sunday at the home of their uncle, Mr. W. R. Draper.

Mr. Hugh Evans has moved into the house recently purchased from Mr. Stewart Thompson on Main St., and Mr. Thompson has moved into the apartment over his store at the corner of Centre and Main Streets.

ARRIVES HOME

Newmarket—Mr. Everton Smith, Prospect Ave., has arrived home after a business trip by plane for his firm, calling at Winnipeg, Calgary and Vancouver.

NOTICE

STATEMENT OF QUESTION SUBMITTED TO THE ELECTORS PURSUANT TO BY-LAW NUMBER 918 OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET.

Are you in favor of the acquisition of property and the construction thereon of a Municipal Auditorium as a War Memorial and for the issue of debentures for the payment of the costs to the town thereof?

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a correct statement of the question submitted to the electors pursuant to By-law Number 918 of the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a tenant who desires to vote must deliver to the Clerk of the said Corporation of the Town of Newmarket, not later than the tenth day before the day appointed for taking the vote, the declaration provided for by subsection three in Section 283 of the Municipal Act.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the vote will be taken on the above question on Monday, the seventh day of April A.D. 1947 at the following subdivisions:

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Alexander Muir school
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town hall

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fire hall

between the hours of 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that on the fifth day of April, A.D. 1947, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the Mayor will attend at the Town Clerk's Office on Main Street, in the Town of Newmarket, and if requested so to do shall appoint in writing signed by him, two persons to attend at the final summing up of votes by the Clerk and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons voting in the affirmative on the said question, and a like number on behalf of the persons voting in the negative on the said question.

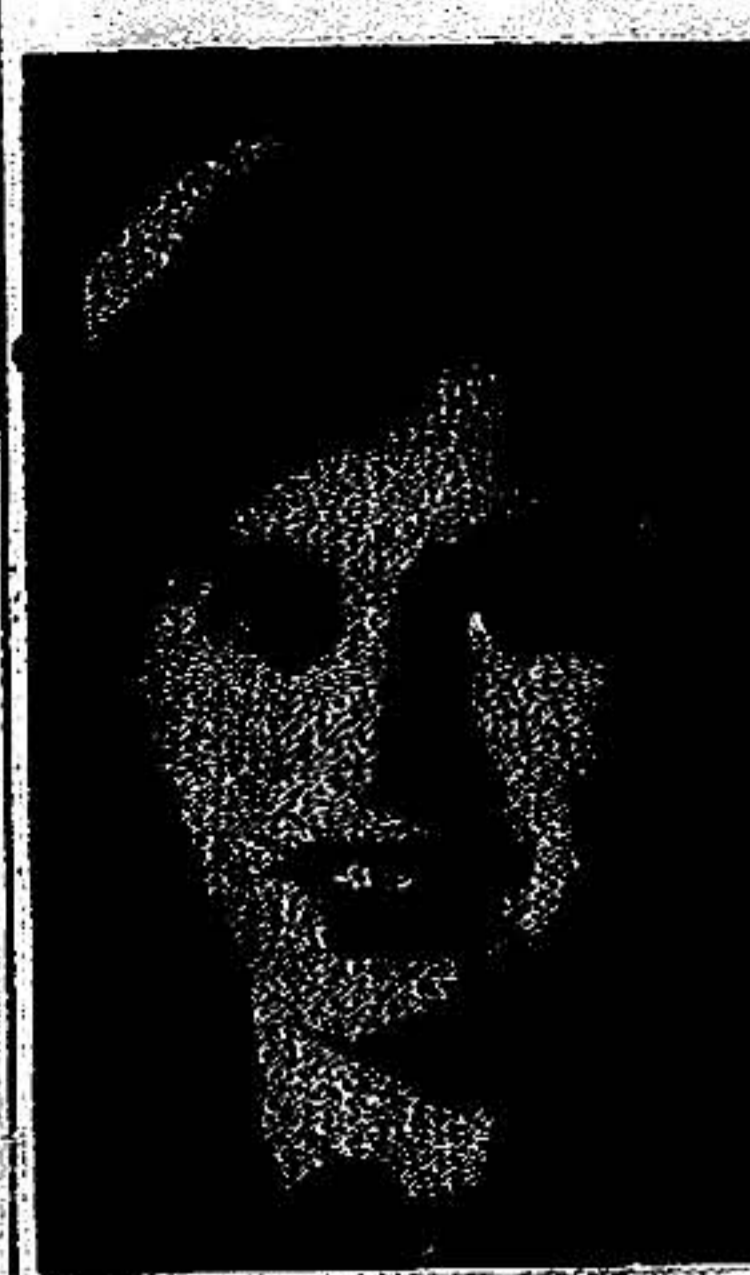
DATED at Newmarket this twelfth day of March, 1947.

Wesley Brown,

Clerk of the Corporation of the Town of

Memorial Service Honors Two Queensville Heroes

RECEIVE SON'S WINGS



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, Queensville, have received gold operational wings awarded posthumously to their son, Clifford T. Johnson, Flt.-Sgt. Johnson lost his life in a raid over Hiltdensburg, Germany, on March 22, 1945. He was sole Canadian of an R.A.F. bomber crew, all of whom were lost.

Enlisting in September, 1943, he won his air gunner's wing at Macdonald, Man., in March, 1944, going overseas in June. He was on his eighth "op".

Born at Minden, he was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, Queensville. Surviving besides his parents are five sisters and three brothers.

Queensville—A memorial service for Flt. Sgt. Clifford T. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, Queensville, and Donald Frederick Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clark, now living on the fourth line, was held in Queensville United church on March 23. The service was conducted by Rev. Albert E. Millen and Murray Huntley and Terry Doane were soloists.

Attending the service were veterans from Keswick, Mount Albert, Queensville and Newmarket. The pulpit and communion table were draped with the Union Jack and an honor roll bearing the names of those from the district who had served occupied a prominent position. Photographs of the two who had fallen graced the table and flowers from their families were in evidence.

Mr. Millen said that a lasting peace can be achieved if the peoples of the world were prepared to work for it and use the same ability displayed in waging war, in the making of peace.

CHILDREN CHRISTENED

Aurora—The following Aurora children were christened by Rev. Roy F. Hicks on Sunday, March 30: Jean Dorothy Beatty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Beatty; Irene Gwyneth Heacock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Heacock; and David Neil Sisman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Sisman.

FIRESIDE HOUR POPULAR

Aurora—With over 150 in attendance, the Sunday evening fireside hour at Aurora United church, arranged by the Y.P.U. of the church, was a popular event. A collection of \$37 brought the Y.P.U.'s total gift to the Aid for China Fund to \$74.

Miss Barbara Bowman gave a piano solo. Lorraine Fierheller sang Ave Maria. R. J. Moddle delighted with several readings and a saxophone quartet of John Sisman, Rod Smith, Jim Willis and David Johnson contributed three numbers. Peter King presided over the meeting. A technical film on Manitoulin Island was shown and coffee and donuts served.

APPLICATIONS TO CLOSE

Aurora—Applications will close on Saturday, April 5, at 12 noon, for the vacant position of assessor of the town of Aurora. The job held for close to 20 years by Major W. H. Taylor, became vacant last year when Major Taylor retired through ill-health.

SPEAKS BEFORE H. AND S.

Aurora—Mrs. Dorothy Bowman, Newmarket, well known authority on the training of children, will be the guest speaker at the April meeting of the Aurora Home and School Association to be held in the Aurora public school on Monday, April 14.

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Schomberg—Elwood Dale heads the newly formed Schomberg Lions club, which was organized last week. Other officers are: vice-pres., Ian Cook; second vice-pres., Roy Dixon; third vice-pres., Gladstone Lloyd; sec., George Johns; treas., Elgin Hastings; Lion Tamer, Mervin Dale; Tail Twister, William Hastings; directors, Ernest Smith, E. Stonehouse (two years), William Poyntz, and E. Maynard (one year). The Schomberg club was sponsored by the Aurora Lions club and William Morris, president of the Aurora club, presided over the election of officers. The new Lions are losing no time in getting to work, and they will hold their first regular meeting on Monday, April 7.

LECTURES TO YORKS

Aurora—The History of the Armored Corps was the subject of a lecture by T. A. M. Hulise to the North York Squadron of the Queen's York Rangers Regiment on Thursday night. The Yorks were created an armored unit in February.

COMMENCE DRIVE

Aurora—Three hundred and twenty-five new members is the objective for the North York riding by the C.C.F., which commenced a membership drive last week. Miss Edna Izard, Richmond Hill, formerly of the staff of Aurora high school, heads the committee in charge, while the captains are Major Archie Woods, Newmarket, George Calver, Mount Albert, Mrs. G. A. C. Guntion, Aurora, P. A. Deacon, North York township, Mrs. S. T. Woodbridge.

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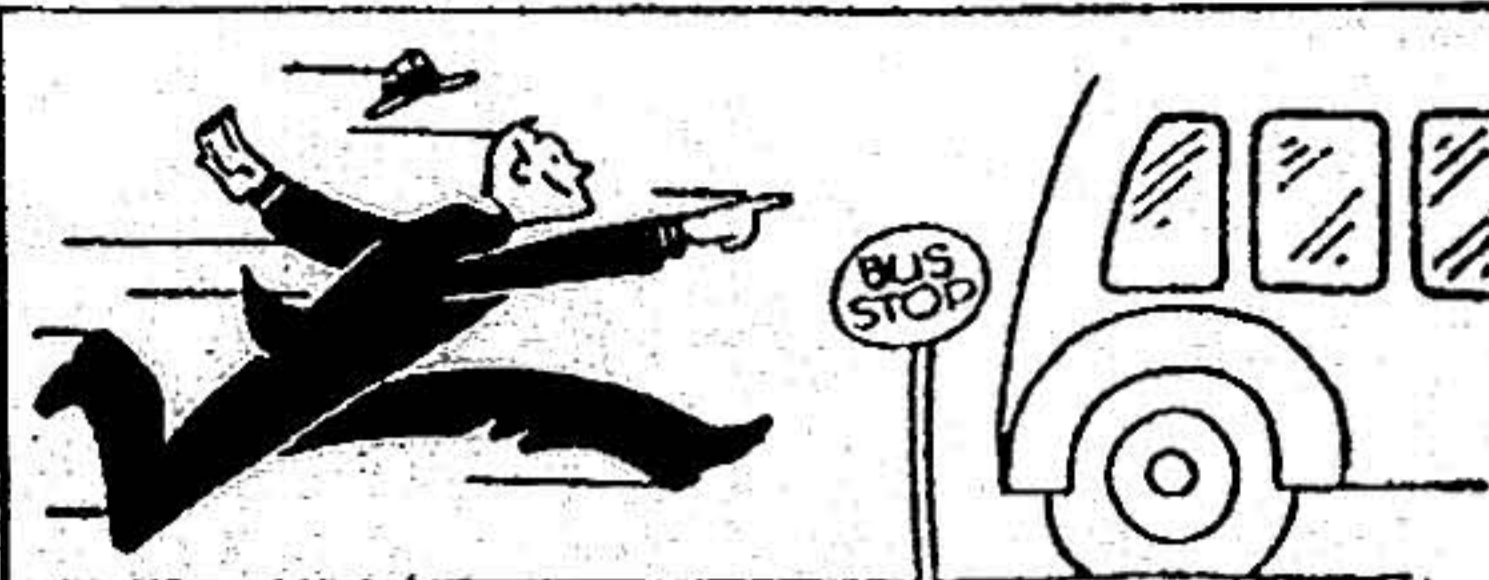
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HOLD IN BALDWIN
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Newmarket — Maurice John Latour pleaded guilty to two charges of breaking and entering, to theft of an automobile and of several other small items in magistrate's court here on Friday morning. Magistrate J. E. Pritchard, K.C., presided. Detective W. E. Martindale of the York county police said that Latour had been brought to Toronto headquarters after having been apprehended near Baldwin, and that he had admitted break- ing into and entering Owens' Barber shop at Baldwin, accom- panied by two companions. "He said that they heard someone coming and left. Latour was ap- prehended later by Constable Carl Morton," Mr. Martindale said. The value of the items that had been stolen from the barber shop was small, and had not been identified by the owner, he said.

Bert Owens, proprietor of the barber shop, identified a lodge pin, a watch chain, and a coin as articles that had been taken from the till. He said that the front door of the shop had ap- parently been opened with a key. "The doors and windows were all locked when I left at midnight," he said. "I didn't know anything about the break- in until the next morning when Constable W. R. Hill came and told me about it."

Mrs. Audrey Chapelle identi- fied several other articles that had been in the till at the bar- ber shop.

Detective F. Cater, Toronto city police, charged that Latour had broken into and entered the offices of the Deluxe Transport Co., Toronto, and had stolen a carton of tobacco, a carton con- taining 60 pairs of cheap shoes, and a 1947 car without license plate.

"The car was later picked up by Constable Morton at Bald- win," he said. "Latour admitted the break-in and the theft of the car, but he refused to identify those who had been with him. He denied stealing the shoes and the tobacco."

According to the R.C.M.P. re- port, Latour has a record of 12 convictions, dating back to July, 1943. He was discharged from Kingston penitentiary on Dec. 3, 1946.

Prior to sentence, Latour said that when he was released from the penitentiary he had had no place to go and had received lit- tle help from the Prisoners' Re- habilitation Board and the Sal- vation Army. "I couldn't get employment until I found some- place to live, and I couldn't find a place to live until I got some money. When I saw the chance to make some quick money I took it."

He said that he had been honorably discharged from the army after two years and eight months' service. Crown Attorney Arleigh Arm- strong asked that Latour be re- manded in custody for one week before sentence was pronounced. Latour was remanded until this morning when he appeared in Toronto court.

William Ratcliff, Newmarket, pleaded guilty to a charge of careless driving and was fined \$25 and costs or 15 days. Con- stable W. R. Hill, Jr., testified that he had investigated an ac- cident and found that a truck driven by the accused had struck a parked vehicle. He said that at the time of the accident the accused had claimed that he had been momentarily blinded by the lights of an approaching car. He said that accused had had a couple of beers, but appeared normal.

Ratcliff testified that the of- ficer's testimony had been cor- rect. He said that the road was "plenty wide" and that he could have passed the parked vehicle easily had he not been momen- tarily blinded. He admitted that he had to have a special permit to drive because of the fact that he had lost the use of one eye. "I drive about 50 miles a day," he said.

In passing sentence, Magis- trate Pritchard said that he was more influenced by the fact that accused had been driving on a special permit after drinking than he was by Ratcliff's story of the oncoming car that had failed to dim its lights. Check License Story

Magistrate Pritchard author- ized Provincial Constable Wm. A. Melbourne to make a special trip to Toronto to investigate the defence of Mrs. Leroy E. Wool- ley, charged with parking on the travelled portion of No. 11 high- way. In a letter to A. M. Mills, court clerk, Mrs. Woolley said that she had had her 1947 license plate installed on February 24 while the parking summons that she had received and dated in March contained the number of her 1946 plate. She wrote that she "feared that someone was using her old plate."

PERRY WINCH, JR. IS
ELECTED PRESIDENT

March 27 — Virginia Junior Farmers met in the Virginia school house on Monday, March 17, for the monthly meeting. Yvonne Corner and Charles Weir were appointed as dele- gates to go to Guelph in April. Election of officers followed, with W. M. Cockburn, agricul- tural representative, acting as chairman, Archie McKenzie, as- sistant agricultural representa- tive, acting as scrutineer, and Miss Eileen Giles as secretary. Officers are: pres., Perry Winch, Jr.; vice-pres., Mrs. Charles Weir; sec.-treas., Mrs. Perry Winch; third director, Mrs. Charles Weir; executive committee, Charles Weir, Eric Cronsberry, and Donald Winch. Contests under Floyd Brake and Donald Winch were won by both teams. Lunch was served by Mrs. Charles Weir, Eileen Giles, Helen Corner and Mary Weir.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weir motored to Stouffville on Sun- day. Mrs. Albert Weir and daugh- ter, Mary, went to Toronto on Saturday to visit Mr. Art Allen, Mrs. Weir's brother, who is in Toronto General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McRae and Mr. and Mrs. John Laviolette at- tended the card party held in Sutton on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Winch, Jr., and Mrs. Charles Weir motored to Newmarket on Thursday, March 20, to the annual board meeting.

The April meeting of Peffer- law W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Cronsberry on April 1. Election of officers will take place with Mrs. Dennis Woodrow as convenor.

KESWICK

Judge and Mrs. Brock Curry, Manitoulin Island, who have been in Toronto for the winter, were guests on Tuesday of last week of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leppard. They were returning last week to Manitoulin.

Mrs. Wm. Davison left for Tor- onto on Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Felton, and will stay for awhile at the Felton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Winch have been making extensive im- provements in their home pur- chased from Mr. Jack Winch (the former Christian church parson- age), and expect to take posses- sion April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winch with Mrs. Winch, Sr., and Alma will move to Mr. Winch's recently purchased farm, formerly the property of Mrs. Jack Linstead, on the highway between Keswick and Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kellington have been remodeling their gro- cery store into an up-to-date "self service" store which will soon be completed and ready for busi- ness.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Snelling on the birth of their second son. Mr. Snelling has purchased the build- ing where he is in business from Mr. C. Boyd, Newmarket. The store was formerly owned by Mr. R. Switzer.

No mail on Wednesday of last week because of blocked roads and another real blizzard on Saturday night. However, the week has started more spring- like so let us hope spring is near.

Rev. Albert E. Millen, Queens- ville, will be guest preacher at a Holy Thursday service tonight, April 3, in the United church. Service is at 8 o'clock and the general public is invited.

Mr. Jas. Cole is at home and is improving in health. Mr. Isaac Waldon has been visiting his daughters in Toron- to.

The battle of the snows has continued on the North Gwillim- bury front, as on many other fronts. The sudden storm of March 25 marooned Toronto people in Keswick and marooned Keswick people in Toronto, New- market and elsewhere. The end of last week saw most roads passable (more or less). Then came the storm of Saturday night, the high wind very effec-

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:
Katherine Marles, Holt, 10 years old on Thursday, April 3.
Douglas Yorke, Aurora, 3 years old on Friday, March 28.
Irene Dennis, R. R. 3, New- market, 3 years old on Friday, March 28.
William Kearns, Holland Land- ing, 14 years old on Sunday, March 30.
William Allan Rae, Virginia, 4 years old on Sunday, March 30.
Edith Kay, R. R. 3, Newmar- ket, 11 years old on Monday, March 31.
Robert John Sweeney, Holland Landing, 2 years old on Monday, March 31.
Doris Irene Willoughby, Bel-

tively replacing in the roads the snow which the ploughs had re- moved, plus a new lot.

This village has been fortunate, however, in that the county plough, the township plough and Art Pollock's sturdy little plough have all helped to keep open communications.

Keswick Young People's Union and a few older friends had an evening of fun, which occasion- ally touched the hilarious, when they held a box social in the public school. Mr. Thos. Niles proved a great success as auc- tioneer, the proceeds from sale of boxes amounting to \$25. The mystery radio play, The Man with the Purple Handgnail, got rounds of applause, as did the impromptu play, The Gathering of the Nuts.

Doreen Niles contributed a reading, June Prosser a piano solo and the young people, as a group, some choruses. Phyllis Rye was at the piano. Bob Atchison, president, presided.

On his way back from six months of graduate studies at the University of Minnesota, J. Ritchie Cowan was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George White. He goes now to McGill Univer- sity, Montreal, where he has been named to the faculty of ag- riculture. Actually, Ritchie will be at Ste. Anne de Bellevue, outside the city, where the faculty of agriculture is located.

The United church Woman's Missionary Society held a day of quilting in the school room at 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 10. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Marriott, Toronto, were visiting friends and relatives on Saturday.

Quite a lot of people are held up in moving owing to the road conditions of the past few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Winch, who have lived all their married lives on the fourth, are moving into the village, and we hope they will enjoy life there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Draper entertained a few friends on Fri- day night, celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary on March 13.

The whole community joins in wishing them long years of health and happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Draper had their 25th wedding anniversary on March 4. They, too, had very bad roads and weather and their friends were unable to call on them, so we do extend to them our best wishes.

Mr. Ross Foulkeard, who has not been well this winter, is under the doctor's care. We wish him a speedy recovery.

On March 21 Mrs. Frank East- man saw a robin. Let us hope the robin will bring his rela- tives as we all long for signs of spring.

Mr. Gable, the school bus driver, who walked to Keswick night and morning in all kinds of weather to get to his post, de- serves great credit. Many times this winter he has started out to walk when the roads were im- passable, and it was not fit to go out.

Mr. Joe Wilkinson had a birth- day this week. Congratulations, Joe.

haven, 8 years old on Tuesday, April 1.
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Donna Elinor Sheridan, New- market, 10 years old on Wednes- day, April 2.
Sheila Jean Flanagan, New- market, 4 years old on Wednes- day, April 2.
Evelyn Thackman, Holland Landing, 14 years old on Thurs- day, April 3.
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ERA AND EXPRESS POLL

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However, the idea of a memorial shouldn't be used as a means of getting new "town" buildings. If we want a new town building, we can put a memorial in it, but the memorial should not be an excuse for a new town building.

Councillor Mrs. Caroline Edwards: I approve of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial but I do not especially approve of the site. I think that a better one could be found. I suggested some time ago that a town planning commission be set up to operate for at least five years to study the town, and that an expert be called in to aid it. The town should be studied and the auditorium built and then fitting other buildings around it. We do need other buildings, such as a new public library, a new fire hall and police hall, and a place for the various recreation groups

to meet. I do not approve of the tentative plans for the building. I do not think that they have been gone into and studied carefully enough. They should be thoroughly studied and compared with other plans of buildings similar in nature.

Councillor Tom Bittrell: I am absolutely in favor of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial. If the voters miss this opportunity to provide for such a building they probably will not get the chance again. The auditorium is something that is very badly needed, and it will serve quite a few purposes. Every individual in the town of Newmarket will have as much interest in the auditorium as the factories and businesses will have. I approve of the proposed site because it is centrally located, and at the same time is out of the way of business.

The tentative plans look very good, but there may be a consid-

erable amount of discussion about them later. I can't see that anything can be added without a lot of additional expense. Some things may be added if they are found desirable. An endless number of things could be incorporated into a building of that kind, but the council must do what it thinks is best and most reasonable for everyone.

Councillor Bert Morrison: I am in favor of the municipal auditorium as a war memorial, and I am in favor of the proposed site. I do not approve of the tentative plans in their entirety, because I feel that the ratepayers should have more say on what the building should include.

Councillor George Byers: "I am in favor of a municipal auditorium and war memorial but for personal reasons I would prefer not to answer the second question (Are you in favor of the proposed site?). The original plans seem quite suitable for a memorial auditorium as a memorial."

Dr. J. Gordon Cook, chairman of the Newmarket board of health: "I am in favor of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial and of the proposed site. With regard to the plans that have been tentatively drawn up, my opinion is that what they have planned is fine if they cannot afford anything more elaborate. I do feel that the auditorium should be a little bigger, because if they equip it for use as a basketball or badminton floor, there will be no room for spectators unless it is bigger. I don't think that there is enough money for some of the other things that it would be nice to have, so they will have to be left out."

Bernard McEale, chairman of the separate school board: "I am in favor of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial because at the present time there is no place for a public gathering, a public banquet or even a public dance. However, it seems to me that it would help considerably if those that were sponsoring the idea would make available to the general public more information as to what the building is to contain and the approximate cost. I think that people would feel better if they had more information."

Mrs. W. R. Stephens, chairman of the Newmarket branch of the Canadian Red Cross: "I am in favor of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial if it would include the public library and certain other rooms but the most important thing is that it must contain the public library. It is more important for our children than most people realize. It should also contain a room with facilities for the Red Cross and rooms for all the recreation groups that are fighting juvenile delinquency. The building as it is now planned is a fine showcase but there is no place in it to manufacture. There is no place for the dramatic club to rehearse and no craft rooms in which returned men can take up or follow hobbies. These could go into a separate building but they must certainly be planned for."

Rudy Renzius, chairman of the public school board: "I am in favor of a municipal auditorium as a war memorial only if it is a good one. I am in favor of the proposed site, but the plans as they now are are wholly inadequate. The auditorium which is planned has a flat floor and we already have three auditoriums in town with flat floors. The plans have included two very small dressing rooms which would be completely inadequate if a play were to be presented. The plans call for a very large kitchen but only a relatively small dining-room and no swimming pool is included in the plans. No provision is made for a library, for rooms for other recreational purposes or for crafts. The building would be just a white elephant. If they spent a little money on the town hall as it now stands they would have a better building than these plans would permit."

Mrs. Ted Mitchell, convenor of handicrafts for the Home and School Association: "I am in favor of the memorial auditorium but there should be more provision made for committee rooms. The idea of a memorial is a good one but the things that are planned are not quite what we need—rooms where small groups can gather. I am in favor of the proposed site. I do not approve of the present plans. The kitchen is too large. The auditorium is fine and the plan is nice but with a little alteration there could be small rooms for the art group, the music society, orchestra society and craft groups over the kitchen and the dining-room. If these alterations were made we could organize the ten-agers into craft groups. There are plenty of young people if they only had a place to gather. As it is now there is no place for them to meet."

W. J. Geer, chairman of the Newmarket high school board: "I am definitely in favor of the proposed memorial auditorium, but because of personal circumstances I feel that I am not at liberty to make any comments on the proposed site. I would like to see other plans made which might be more suitable. Everything depends on the purpose to which the hall is to be put, whether the present plans are adequate or not."

ALLEYS

By ROY CHANT

Smith's Bowling Alley

The championship of the town bowling league was won last week by Bowser's, who defeated Bender's in the finals by 205 points. Bowser's were league leaders nearly all season and proved they were real champions in the play-offs.

Bowser's should prove a threat to any league team in the district and no doubt would accept any challenge. Bowlers making up this strong team are R. Gibson, C. Tugwell, W. Newton, M. Crowder, C. VanZant and C. Macafee.

In last week's finals, R. Wilson of Bender's was high three with 723 (280, 225), closely followed by C. Tugwell of Bowser's with 721 (264, 256). Other good scores for the night were R. Gibson 712 (291, 238), C. VanZant 664 (245, 211), I. Day 650 (267, 236).

On the season's bowling prizes were won by W. Newton with high three flat of 902. E. Fairway won high three handicap with 907. I. Day captured the high single flat for the season with 381 and the high single handicap was won by E. Crone with 340.

Last Monday night the S.S.S. team of the ladies' league increased its eight-point lead by four. Flossie Campbell led the ladies for the night with a high three of 613 (274). Other good scores were made by Marg VanZant, 590, Mona Dean, 589, Marion Stark, 585, and Mimi Giovannelli, 582.

There was no game with the men's team last Thursday night as scheduled but the ladies are still anxious to reverse the defeat the men gave them a couple of weeks ago.

Don's Bowling Alley

Last Friday evening, paced by the sharp shooting of Ernie Bennett with a sizzling three of 875, the south team captured the town championship by defeating the north team by a close margin of 53 points. It was really a heart-breaker for the north team which has lost two close games to its rivals. The north team has failed to hold up in its last game and that has been the big difference as the south team has always appeared a strong finisher.

This has been a grand series between these two strong teams and the north team, although having lost two close games, is not thoroughly convinced and has challenged the south team to one more game. The south team has accepted the challenge and is out to make it really convincing this time, so a hard battle is looked forward to by many bowling fans this Friday night at Don's bowling alley. Be sure not to miss this one.

Stan Smith led the north team with a score of 755 (296, 245). A Bray with 683 (303, 203) and Ken Tansley's score of 606 (239, 205) were next highest for the north. Ernie Bennett with 858 (295, 289, 274), C. Tugwell with 634 (253, 215) and R. Gibson's score of 600 (240, 198) paced the south team.

In the Davis Leather league on Tuesday night, B. Pettit's team was high for the evening with 3,082 but S. Smith's team still tops the league with just a few more nights of bowling left.

Frank Bothwell was high man for the evening with a grand score of 708 (341, 201). Fine scores were also made by S. Smith with 677 (265, 238), D. Smith 660 (320, 194), L. Wright 646 (234, 225), P. Pettit 634 (229, 203) and B. McEale 610 (215, 211).

Udora Imports Defeat Blues For Consol's Cup

In the first revival of the British Consols cup series at Uxbridge arena since war years, Udora "Imports" defeated Zephyr Blues in straight games, 4-2 and 7-2. Udora and Zephyr battled it out all year in the eight-club circuit and in the semi-final round the "Imports" defeated Mount Albert while Port Perry defaulted to the Blues. Cec Carpenter, Sutton, handled the series.

Reason for the use of the word "Imports" by the Udora team is that with Udora entered and below par in strength on its own, it used players from Stauffville when the latter centre failed to obtain an entry in the league. "Kick" Paisley, Jake Baker, "Swift" Tod and Fred Williams of the 1946 Ballantrae club played with Udora, along with Ken Laushway and "Turk" Nicholson. Stauffville, and Jack Runney, Richmond Hill juniors. Arthur, Bruce and Harvey Westgarth are a trio of homebrew brothers on the Udora team. Other north-easters are E. and G. Bain, M. McKnight and I. Whitefield.

Richmond Hill high school junior hockey team won the junior high school title last week as it defeated Aurora high school 5-0 in a sudden-death game at the Hill which should have been played with water wings. Warren Hall in the Hill goal, Jim Mansbridge, Stan Ransom, George Clarke and Ray Stundeen were the goal getters for the winners.

Hoffman's Make It Two Straight

DOWN THE CENTRE

By AB HULSE

SIGNS OF SPRING!

President Charlie Rowntree has donned the war paint and sent up smoke signals, as well as pounding the drums, to inform those interested that the North York lacrosse league will definitely function this year in both intermediate and junior lacrosse. The warriors and braves will meet in solemn conclave at Maple on Wednesday, April 9, at 8 o'clock. It will be "something" to see the pipe of peace smoked for the first and probably the last time of the season. A warm welcome is extended by Charlie to anyone interested in Canada's national game.

Here's what's rumored prior to the meeting: Weston will be in the circuit with intermediate and junior entries. The juniors played last year in the O.L.A. series. Woodbridge will be back with two strong teams and so will Maple. The olive branch is being waved frantically to have Combines, who played at Aurora last summer, amalgamate with Richmond Hill, who dropped out of competition in intermediate in mid-season. The Hill arena is said to be more than passingly interested in this phase of things but it may take some talking. Aurora juniors, who made such a fine showing last year, are practically intact except for Phil Davidson, in training with the Navy at Esquimaux, B.C. They won't have Lyle Sparks as a backer this year as Lyle has purchased a metal plant at Bolton and presumably will be too busy with his new interests to devote any time to lacrosse. Cliff Chapman, who started the club last season, is once again in Aurora and will doubtless be prepared to lend a hand again. It's highly probable that the Aurora branch, Canadian Legion, will be interested in promoting the Aurora youngsters this season. All over Ontario there are signs that lacrosse is in for big year and it's refreshing to see so much interest in North York.

CUM LAUDE!

With the hockey season over for all the activities of the Aurora Lions club, the trophies to be awarded have been decided upon as well as the trip to the O.H.A. junior hockey school. Captain Bill Mundell was chosen by his teammates to represent Aurora juniors at Maple Leaf Gardens. Goalie Eric Smith might well have had the trip but he told his mates that working conditions would prevent it. Mundell will give Aurora adequate representation but it should be remembered that Bill has been given the look-see two years in a row by the Junior A clubs. He can still play junior next year.

Ronnie Simmons, as leading scorer, gets the Tip Top trophy, resurrected from security by W. R. "Mac" McQuade and presented for the first time this season. Eric Smith will be presented with the Frank Underhill trophy, awarded annually for the player displaying the best sportsmanship, gentlemanly conduct and all round ability. Mac Urquhart will carry home the Stewart Patrick trophy, won in the bantam series by Rangers. The above quartet will receive the awards at the next Lions' meeting. Lack of space will prevent the annual hockey dinner for all teams being held this year.

Harry Caradonna, Newmarket, Bill Boychoff, Bradford, and Howard Forgie, Markham, have been picked by their fellow players to attend the O.H.A. school and coach Ike Harper, with a championship dangle in front of his nose, is wisely enough taking his time at having a choice made to represent Stouffville-Victoria Square. Harmony in the dressing room is more important to the team right now than a trip for one of its members and it sometimes takes but little to bring a bit of dissension into a club, especially as the end of a long season looms in sight and nerves become a bit frayed.

On the play there can't be much wrong with the choices made and the boys did it themselves, but we believe the intention was to take future prospects before the eyes of the pro scouts and that means youngsters of 16 and 17. If you haven't made Junior A by 18, your chances are very slim, as the clubs won't invest in a one-year player unless he's a standout. Clubs would probably benefit for the future by choosing a younger player who has ability. Caradonna and Forgie both are out of junior next year, while Mundell and Boychoff have still another term.

"Our Boy Clapper", currently leading his Boston Bruins in a hectic series with Les Canadiens, took time out recently to air his views on present-day hockey as compared with the past.

THE MOVING FINGER WRITES HOCKEY HISTORY

Markham intermediates have worked their way to a position that should take them to the intermediate B finals. As predicted, they had a bit too much class for Bucko McDonald and his Sundridge huskies, but it was the keenest competition yet and the former big leaguer gave a four-star performance as his team went down with colors flying. Left in the fight for fame and fortune are Grimsby and Sarnia, Milverton and Walkerton. Markham is the champ of the east and the north. It only remains for Western Ontario to provide the opposition.

Victoria Square has been idle a week and coach Ike Harper has his nails bitten down to the quick as his charges await the havoc created by mild weather acting upon natural ice. It looks like the Square for the finals and it has managed to get in one practice at Stouffville, but will be working out at Oshawa, too. Goderich, on the strength of its convincing win over New Hamburg, looks like the logical finalist and will be tough opposition. Orangeville has eliminated Hespeler and will meet Goderich in the next round. That gives the west a bit of an edge in keeping in shape but Harper and his boys are ready for any eventuality.

Humber Summit was carded to meet Breslau for the O.R.H.A. intermediate A championship last night at Waterloo and Son Rowntree and his playmates enjoyed a full dress workout at Ravina on Sunday night in their prep for the rubber match. Stroud, which showed its wares against Inglewood at Newmarket in the B rural series, at last report was to meet up with Selkirk from Oxford county in the finals. Alliston bowed out of the senior O.R.H.A. series to Crowland, which lost out to Sutton Greenshirts in the A finals last year. Crowland is one game up on Canuga, which defeated Alliston last year, and took the all-rural crown from Sutton as well. Beeton Juveniles reached the finals in the farm minor series but dropped two straight games to a Western Ontario club in the finals. It was a nice showing, however, by the neighboring kids.

Bowmanville defeated Bolton in the O.M.H.A. juvenile B series to win the championship. Madoc, conquerors of Keswick, is still waiting to meet Elmira in the mid-level C series. Lindsay is down one game to Port Colborne in the mid-level B series after eliminating Collingwood which took Newmarket Legionnaires. The series may not be finished as Lindsay's bus crashed with the team aboard en route to the final game. Ferguson appears to have the finals in bantam C clinched against Sundridge, the successors in the east to Sutton kids.

Midgets Win In Toronto To Remain In Cup Hunt

GEO. HASKETT, JR.

Newmarket midgets are still in the hunt for the Toronto hockey league, King Clancy series, midget championship. On Tuesday night, at Lealandia rink (North Toronto), they helped their quest considerably by registering a 6-4 win over Toronto St. Margaret's.

The game turned into a close-checking contest, no doubt because of the small ice surface. Both squads laid down a great cleckling barrage. Fred Hall's charges moved into a 4-3 lead in the opening session, on goals by Ron Covoney, Laurie Thoms, Don Gibson and Don Duncan. Doug Mowat beat Bob Winch in the Newmarket nets for two marksmen. Jack Thorn picking up the other counter.

Early in the final frame Doug Mowat found the rigging for his third tally and moved St. Margaret's up even with the Legion-

naire at four all. Left winger Albert Smith sent the local crew back into the lead after 13 minutes of action and Laurie Thoms, as the period ran to a close, settled the issue with a close-in drive to make it 6-4 for the Legionnaires.

Although unable to get their passing attack working because of the close checking, the local mites showed plenty of fight from goal-mouth to front line and took the verdict strictly on their merits.

Newmarket: goal, B. Winch; def., G. Frith, S. Beattie; centre, L. Thoms; wings, D. Gibson; alt. Dave Couch, A. Smith, R. Covoney, Red Wilkins, L. Leary, Doug Dunn, Jack Andrews.

St. Margaret's: goal, Broadway; def., Thorn, R. Clarke; centre, J. Hamilton; wings, D. Mowat, Craig; alt., P. McEale, J. Gou-

son's goal with his second and third counters. "Jing" Groves was the helper on both, Cliff Gunn also getting in on the second and after he had moved up from his blueline work and fed the disc to Groves, who promptly relayed it to centreman Collings.

Snack off the starting whistle in the final session, Collings came up with his fourth goal of the night. It was unassisted, Collings having to bang away with three or four shots before finally parking the rubber behind Carr. This boosted Hoffman into a 7-2 lead. The Vets moved to the offensive and laid siege to the Hoffman net and were finally rewarded at the 13-minute mark, "Mac" MacDonald doing the honors with Normie Legge setting up the play for his teammate. The Vets kept the pressure on until the final goal to be sure, but with goalie "Mickey" Smith playing a cool, effective game in front of the rigging, they were held from further scoring. "Mickey" Smith was certainly a top star of the proceedings for his work in this period. Final score, Canadian Hoffman 7, Newmarket Vets 3.

Liked the defensive work of Joe Peat at the Hoffman blueline. He was tossing out the body checks with vim and vigor. The series marked the return of Joe Magani to the factory line-up and on both occasions turned in creditable performances. The Hoffman front line trio, Collings, Groves and Stevens, performed in such a manner as to bring the smiles back to the faces of coach Father McCabe and manager Johnny Campbell after the recent Markham series.

Right winger, Geo. Stark started in the Vets cause, checking in with a goal and an assist. Stark was particularly dangerous on the attack. Myles MacInnis did duty on left wing and Coach Larry Molyneux dressed also had a goal and assist only ten of the Vets for the game. Hoffman: goal, M. Smith; def., A. Wolf, H. Caradonna; centre, M. Collings; wings, E. Stevens, B. Groves; alt., H. Tunstead, Magani, H. Simpson, E. Broughton, D. Dennis, M. Jelley. Smith, B. Peterman, J. Peat. Vets: goal, P. Carr; def., Perry, W. Bone; centre, B. Johnston; wings, G. Stark, M. MacInnis; alt., I. Stepak, R. Gibson, N. Legge, M. MacDonald. Referee: Bill Thoms, Toronto linesman, "Joan" McComb, Newmarket.

Hoffman Hockey Record For Season Impressive

GEO. HASKETT, JR.

Getting in a resume of the Canadian Hoffman hockey activity, coach Father T. J. McCabe and manager Johnny Campbell have every right to be proud of the impressive string of victories registered by their stalwarts in their first year.

In mercantile competition they won nine games with but a single loss to mar their string. The loss was to Richmond Hill Vets. In exhibition contests they carried off the honors over Orangeville (4-2) and Sutton (9-4), intermediate B's, tied Gravenhurst Indians 2-2 and lost a 9-2 decision to the Indians. They also lost a close 3-2 setback chalked up by Georgetown intermediate A team. In two games with the Newmarket Vets they emerged victorious in both, 8-5 and 7-3.

In the third round of the O.H.A. intermediate B play-downs, they were defeated and eliminated by Markham in two games. The score of the first was 12-0, the second 9-3.

In all, the record shows they blinked the red light 119 times, while the opposition talked but 72.

The scoring record for all games reads as follows:

G. A. P. Pen. in Min.	
"Mutt" Collings	20 15 35 27
Bolmer Groves	18 12 30 41
F. Tunstead	15 2 17 12
Joe Magani	10 16 8
Herbie Simpson	10 5 15 2
Barney Peterman	9 6 15 2

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